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OUTLINES.

The Senate yesterday acted on a number of amendments to the naval appropriation bill. When it adjourned there was one pending providing for the construction of four instead of two battleships. A good many of the amendments were adopted and others were rejected——Senator Rayner made a speech on the constitutional rights of the States and executive encroachment——The House of Representatives adopted the Senate resolution authorizing the Attorney General to file suits against the Oregon & California Railroad Company for the forfeiture of land grants in Oregon——The Chesapeake and Ohio railroad sells bonds on good terms to take up others soon to fall due——The Norfolk & Western railroad declares a semi-annual dividend of two per cent ——Mr. Bryan went West yesterday ——The Illinois Democratic convention adopts the unit rule and instructs the delegates to the Denver convention to "use all honorable means" to secure Mr. Bryan's nomination. The strong Bryan men try to have the wording made stronger, but fail. The liquor plank in the platform declares for the greatest possible personal liberty to persons, provided it does not infringe on the rights of others——A cyclone swept through two Nevada counties yesterday, wrecking many fences and killing several persons——The House Committee investigating the Electric Boat Company matter is bringing out some damaging facts against Mr. Lilley, the Congressman making the charge. Mr. Lilley and his secretary have been writing some letters which put the former in an awkward position. Some of the developments before the committee yesterday bordered on sensational——Mr. Bryan stopped over in Harrisburg, Pa., yesterday and visited the new State hospital——Mrs. Cleveland issues a bulletin saying there is no cause for alarm at Mr. Cleveland's condition. He is suffering with rheumatic gout and stomach trouble, but is getting along nicely——New York markets: Money on call easy at 1 3-4 to 2 per cent, ruling rate 1 3-4, closing bid 1 3-4, offered at 2; time loans very quiet and steady. The cotton market opened easy at a decline of 10 to 15 points then sold 13 to 17 points lower. Turpentine easy at 48 1-2c. Rosin steady at $3.65 to $3.70. Flour firm. Wheat spot strong, No. 2, red 1.60 elevator. Corn firm, No. 2, 75 1-2 elevator. Oats steady, mixed 54 1-2.

We hope the Cake Oregon is going to send to the Senate will not prove to be all dough.

Isn't there some way possible by which Mr. Roosevelt can take a hand in the Italy-Turkey squabble?

That psychologist who advises people "to think in curves" must be in the habit of lecturing at an inebriate asylum.

It is evident that Senator Borah, of Idaho does not expect to have to depend on any negro votes for his re-election.

That was a mighty big lump of taffy Mr. Bryan gave the members of the two Press Associations in New York Wednesday.

Wonder of the spring parasol will be in same proportions as the Merry Widow hats. If not they will not be of much use.

"Convening in a row and adjourning in an uprorious melee" is the way the Baltimore Sun discribes a republican county convention.

If Mr. Bryan knows that money is being used to influence delegates against him he ought to publish names of the parties to the transactions.

Mr. Hobson surely believes in taking time by the forelock. He wants Mr. Bryan to have plenty of notice that the latter is expected to stand aside in 1912.

Reckon Mr. Taft would like to have all his speeches printed and distributed over the country at the Government's expense as Mr. Foraker had done with the secretary's Columbus speech.

We wish to remind the Charlotte Chronicle that the State constitution will prevent the friends of Lieutenant Governor Winston forcing a re-nomination on him. We know how grieved (?) The Chronicle is that the constitution stands in the way.

Because President Castro has not felt the big stick yet he must not think Mr. Roosevelt has flung it away. The latter is too busy running congress and engineering republican national politics to bother with such an insignificant matter. But just wait until Congress adjourns and the Chicago convention is held and Mr. Castro will hear something that will be more surprising than pleasing.

"It completely removes uric acid—Buckhorn." tf

REPUBLICAN [illegible]S

Primaries in County Today, Convention Tonight and Congressional Meet Tomorrow.

THE PARTY IS QUITE ACTIVE

Saloons Closed Last Midnight in Obedience to Primary Law—Robert W. Davis Probable Nominee From Sixth District.

Primaries throughout New Hanover today, the county convention tonight at 8 o'clock in the Red Men's Hall, on North Front street, and the Sixth District Congressional Convention in the United States Court room in this city tomorrow, will round out a pretty active two days for the Republicans of this "neck-'o the woods" within the next 48 hours.

While the party in the county may be reckoned among the "infant industries," the leaders are counting upon not a few recruits for the November elections and more than the usual interest is being manifested in the several events. The primaries are for the election of precinct committeemen from which the county executive committee will later be selected and for the selection of delegates to the county convention at night. In the city the polls will be open from 5 to 7 P. M. and in the townships from 10 to 12 o'clock this morning, as previously advertised. Mr. D. L. Gore is chairman and Mr. D. D. Lennon, secretary of the executive committee as now constituted.

At the convention in Red Men's Hall tonight delegates will be selected to the State and district conventions and other business of interest to the party in New Hanover transacted.

On account of the primary today, as required by law, Chief of Police Williams yesterday gave notice that all saloons would have to close last midnight and remain closed until tomorrow morning. This is in compliance with the primary law as amended at the last session of the Legislature and under its provisions the county will also pay the expense of holding the primary. Heretofore the party candidates bore the expense of the primary, but under the amendment introduced at the extra session, the county now pays all expenses.

The Congressional Convention tomorrow is expected to bring upwards of a hundred delegates here from the several counties in the district and a nomination for Congress will be made to oppose the Democratic nominee. Brunswick has already endorsed Robert W. Davis, Esq., of Southport, and it is stated that he will most likely be chosen to lead "the forlorn hope." Mr. Davis is a very clever gentleman and a lawyer of prominence and ability. He has always been an active and vigorous worker in the party ranks and his fidelity will no doubt be rewarded by a nomination tomorrow.

THREW THROUGH GLASS DOOR.

Outrageous Act at Solomon's Shoe Store Yesterday Morning.

Yesterday morning about 6 o'clock presumably as the usual crowd of young negro boys were trailing along the street to their work, someone threw two stones through one of the plate glass doors of Solomon's Shoe Store, on South Front street. At first there was a theory that the glass might have been broken for the purpose of robbery during the night, but both the officer on that beat during the night and the one who relieved him at 5 o'clock "tried" the door and it was intact as late as 5:30 o'clock yesterday morning. The mischief was likely done by boys passing on the street and throwing at one another. The Mayor offers a reward of $10 for the miscreant who threw the stones.

On Pythian Business.

Supreme Master of Exchequer T. D. Meares, of this city, will leave this afternoon for Charlotte, where he goes to attend a meeting of the Grand Lodge Orphanage Committee for the purpose of formulating a report to the annual convention in Raleigh in June. It will be decided at this meeting whether or not the Grand Lodge will establish an orphanage at some point in this State. From Charlotte Capt. Meares goes to Philadelphia and Wilmington, Del., on business connected with the Supreme Lodge.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Tomorrow Night—Dance at Lumina.
Morris M. Caldwell—Executor's Notice.
Academy of Music—The Hidden Hand.
Peterson & Rulfs—Heywood Bunion Shoes.
Wm. E. Springer, Mayor—Proposals Invited.
H. Woollcott, Secretary—Annual Meeting.

Business Locals.

For Sale—Advertising Business.
For Rent—Small Furnished Apartment.
Carolina Portland Cement Co—Found.
Henry Schachte & Sons—Steamer For Sale.

FISHING SMACK IS LOST

Caught in Gale Off Hatteras, Forced to Run Into Lookout Bight Where She Was Wrecked—Cutter Returns.

A FISHING SMACK LOST

The United States Revenue Cutter Seminole, Captain J. H. Quinan, arrived in port yesterday noon from a run up to Cape Lookout on Monday in response to a telegram from Keeper Gaskill, of the life saving station, asking for assistance for the fishing smack Orient, which was reported ashore in Lookout Bight.

The cutter upon arrival found that the Orient was beyond assistance, being filled with water and her seams open to such an extent that the tide was rising and falling in the hold. The Orient, Captain Charles Nordestet, was fishing off Hatteras Thursday morning of last week in company with 16 or 18 other boats of the same class. A gale from the northeast sprung up while the crew was out in the small boats with only the captain and cook on board. There was no time for picking up the men in the dories and without a force to set sail, the captain and cook ran under bare poles and scudded into Lookout. Later with the assistance of the life savers from the station, they set partial sails and proceeded out again to look for the men in the small boats. These, however, had been picked up by others in the fishing fleet and upon returning to the Bight, very near the schooner's anchorage, she ran ashore and rapidly filled with water. The captain and cook were rescued by the life savers and the boat is abandoned. The owners in New York were notified by the captain of the loss of the smack and the cutter returned to her station.

The Orient registers 93 gross and 89 net tons and was build at Essex, Mass., in 1875, her home port having been New York. She was 84 feet long and drew 8 1-2 feet of water. As the vessel is very old, her loss is not great.

While returning to this port on Wednesday the Seminole reports having spoken 20 miles west of Cape Lookout the schooner Alice P. Turner, 166 tons, Captain Williams, five days out from Charleston bound to New York. She asked to be reported all well.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Delightful Anniversary Celebration Last Evening by Club.

The Girls' Friendly Society, of the Church of the Good Shepherd, last evening from 9 to 10:30 o'clock, most delightfully celebrated its second anniversary with a reception in the hall of the parish at No. 618 South Sixth street. There were more than a hundred present and an evening of rare enjoyment was the portion of quite everyone who attended. Members of the Society and their guests first assembled in the church auditorium and listened with much interest and profit to the annual address by Rev. Thos. P. Noe, rector of the parish, after which all repaired to the handsome club building maintained by the young people in connection with the parish. The rooms were beautifully decorated with plants and flowers and the scene was one of beauty and animation.

An interesting feature of the reception was the cutting of a large birthday cake by the fifteen young ladies composing the society. The lucky coin fell to the portion of Miss Marie Irving, who received the happiest congratulations of her friends. Dainty refreshments were served during the evening and the celebration was voted a charming success.

BEING HEARD AT KRESS'

Famous Boy Soprano of New York Being Heard at the Store.

The latest song hits of Gus Edwards, the gifted American composer, are being heard with much pleasure this week as rendered by Master Frank McIver, the noted boy soprano of Keith's Vaudeville Circuit, at Kress & Co.'s Five and Ten Cent Store on Front street. The songs include some of the latest hits by Edwards and copies of the words and music are being offered at the store at a remarkably small price compared with what is usually charged at regular music stores. The public is most cordially invited to hear the boy soprano today and tomorrow as the engagement is a notable one.

Arcanum Team Has Returned.

Grand Regent H. E. Bonitz, Regent W. J. Toomer, Collector M. F. Allen and Chaplain D. L. Latta, of Carolina Council, Royal Arcanum, this city, returned on the early morning Seaboard train yesterday from Rockingham, N. C., where they assisted with the initiation of fifteen candidates for admission into Richmond Council, R. A., the initiates having been interested in the order by Supreme Representative H. C. Dockery, of Rockingham. The new members are among the leading citizens of Rockingham and the degree work was done in the hall during the day, the Wilmington party returning on the late train after going up in the morning.

Call at the Cable Music Store, No. 129 Market street, and examine the handsome pianos there. J. A. Black, Sales Manager. **

BOARD OF PILOTAGE

Commissioners of Navigation Held Special Called Meeting Here Yesterday.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

Two Pilots Cited to Appear and Explain Actions—Section 17 Will be Rigidly Enforced—Lightship Matter.

The Star has been furnished by the clerk with the following report of the proceedings of a special meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage of the port of Wilmington, held in this city yesterday:

"A special called meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage was held today to investigate the alleged breaking of rule No. 17 by two licensed pilots. The following were present: Chairman James Sprunt, Commissioners J. W. Harper, M. C. Guthrie and Richard Dosher and Clerk L. Brown McKoy, also Captain Putt of the Steamship Ardgowan and Pilots A. M. Guthrie and I. S. Davis, with their attorney, Mr. Davis of Southport.

"Pilots A. M. Guthrie and I. S. Davis were charged with a breach or evasion of Rule No. 17 of the Pilotage Regulations, in that they went to Charleston, S. C., in the steamer Atlantic, without permission from the Board to leave their stations, and that they piloted the steamship "Ardgowan" from off the Charleston bar to Wilmington.

"After hearing Captain Putt, Pilots Guthrie and Davis and Attorney Davis with reference to the matter, the Board went into executive session. For reasons satisfactory to the Board Commissioner Guthrie was excused from voting on the subject. Captain Harper wished to exonerate the pilots from blame, believing that in this case they were not intentionally at fault. Commissioner Dosher believed that Pilots Davis and Guthrie had acted with zeal but without discretion; he was in favor of excusing them in this case, but with a warning against a repetition of such an action in the future. The Chairman's opinion was that the pilots in question were clearly guilty of a breach of Rule No. 17, and also guilty of contempt with reference to the telegram sent in the name of the Board of Commissioners to the master of the "Ardgowan" warning him against engaging pilots at Charleston. The chairman, however, was willing to abide by the decision of the other two commissioners and the case was accordingly dismissed.

"Commissioner Guthrie, in behalf of the Board, thanked the chairman cordially for his unfailing interest and activity with reference to matters pertaining to the pilotage and navigation of the river and bar.

"Upon motion of Commissioner Guthrie, seconded by Commissioner Harper, it was ordered that the cruising ground of the Cape Fear pilots shall in future be restricted to that area bounded on the south by Little River and an imaginary line drawn directly southeast from Little River and bounded on the north by Bogue Inlet, and that in such area only shall Cape Fear pilots cruise and offer their services for pilotage.

"The clerk was instructed to draw the attention of the pilots again to Rule No. 17, in its entirety, and with particular reference to that part of the rule pertaining to the use of tug boats and fishing boats for the purpose of approaching or leaving vessels, in their capacity as pilots, provided that a pilot boat may take a friendly tow by a steam vessel, without any charge being made or any division of the pilotage, and provided further that this tow shall not be made in competition with any other pilot boat seeking the same vessel.

"It was agreed and ordered that the rules of the board governing the renewal of licenses be suspended in the case of Joseph T. Thompson, who, by reason of a stroke of paralysis, is unable to perform active duty; but that he be re-licensed for another year, in order that his widow, in case of his death, may come under the benefit of the fund provided for widows and orphans of deceased pilots.

"The Board approved a strong communication, written by the chairman to Hon. H. L. Godwin at Washington, urging the immediate replacement of the Frying Pan Light-ship at its former moorings, this request being supported by an official letter from the Commander of the United States Revenue Cutter Seminole, which clearly indicates the great need of the Lightship at its former moorings, the Lightship's removal several months ago by the Lighthouse Board being much to the detriment of the commerce of this port.

"Upon motion of Mr. Guthrie, it was ordered that the pilots be instructed to make monthly reports of soundings at high water instead of at low water as formerly.

"The clerk was instructed to call the attention of the Harbor Master to the regulation requiring the removal of rafts from the east side of the river, where they cause obstruction to vessels and danger to the docks on account of sunken logs. There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

"L. BROWN McKOY, Clerk."

A GREAT SUNDAY MEETING

Local Post of Salvation Army to Close Week of Self Denial With Great Gathering in Academy of Music.

Arrangements are being made for a great mass meeting of all the people of Wilmington interested in the moral uplift of the community, to be held in the Academy of Music Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock under the auspices of the local post of the Salvation Army, which will end with the meeting its Week of Self Denial, which has been referred to previously several times in these columns.

A number of leading speakers have been assigned subjects on the programme, among these being Rev. R. W. Hogue, rector of St. James; Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church; Rev. T. A. Smoot, pastor of Grace M. E. Church; Rev. Chas. F. Whitlock, pastor of Brooklyn Baptist Church; Adjutant James Yates, of the Salvation Army, and Mr. H. W. Malloy, at the head of the Great Laymen's Movement in this part of the State. Each will treat some special subject and the addresses will be brief and to the point.

Rev. R. W. Hogue will preside at the meeting and there will be an elaborate programme of music, including quartette singing and perhaps selections by an orchestra. The meeting will be a notable one in the history of the religious activity in the community and will be one of the first opportunities afforded the Christian people of the city of showing by their attendance their appreciation of the work being done here and elsewhere by the Salvation Army.

FISH AND HUCKSTER MARKET.

Rentals Yesterday by Chairman Martin Rathjen, of Committee.

Alderman Martin Rathjen, chairman of the Market Committee, yesterday rented at public auction upon the cash premium plan the fish tables at the Fourth Street Fish and Huckster Market, receiving very satisfactory rentals in each case. This market has been provided by a rebuilding of the old fire station at the bridge. Four vegetable tables were not rented, but these will be let later at $5 per month and the hall on the second floor, for which there were no bids yesterday, will be rented for $10 per month. Chairman Rathjen considers the rentals and premiums quite satisfactory.

Fish Table No. 1, went to R. A. Biddle at $5 per month and $11.25 premium. Fish Table No. 2, went to R. Kennedy, for $5 per month and $11.50 premium. Table No. 3, went to J. W. Smith, for $5 per month and $3.76 premium. No. 4 went to G. D. Woebse, for $5 per month and $3.50 premium. The other departments to be let in the new market house are very desirable and will not go begging long.

U. S. R. C. EXAMINATION.

For Cadetship in Revenue Cutter Service Here on Monday.

An examination for cadetship in the United States Revenue Cutter Service will be held in the Custom House in this city by Capt. J. H. Quinan, commanding the U. S. R. C. Seminole, beginning on Monday and continuing for five days. These examinations will be open to all young men who are citizens of the United States, unmarried, whose age is within the prescribed limits and who produce satisfactory evidence of good moral character. The age limit is not less than 18 nor more than 24 at the time of appointment and must pass a satisfactory physical examination by the Public Health and Marine Hospital Service. Before being appointed a cadet of the line, the candidate must obligate himself to serve at least three years as an officer in the service. Application blanks may be secured by addressing the Secretary of the Treasury. Capt. Quinan, though the time is short, would be glad to give any information to young men answering the qualifications, who will call upon him.

Training for Field Day.

Nearly fifty names have been handed into Assistant General Secretary R. E. Hatch for the forthcoming field day exercises to be held under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., and the affair promises to be a great success. Twenty-five of this number are already in training, for the various meets and good progress is being made. The track men are out for trial runs each Monday, Tuesday and Saturday nights at 8:30 o'clock. It is probable that the course for the running races will be down Fifth street over the firemen's tournament course. The programme of events will be announced later.

Funeral of Mrs. Boatwright.

The funeral of the late Mrs. John L. Boatwright will be conducted from St. James' Episcopal Church this morning at 11 o'clock and the interment will be in Oakdale cemetery. Messrs. E. P., Victor and Harry Boatwright, of Portsmouth, Va., arrived yesterday afternoon to attend the funeral of their mother. Mr. W. R. Taliaferro, a brother, of Charlotte, N. C., arrived on the late Seaboard train last night.

AFFAIRS IN RALEIGH

Fourth District Republicans Held Their Congressional Convention There Yesterday.

ROOSEVELT IS ENDORSED

English Immigrants Arrive For Work. Charter to Sporting Club—Military Company at Wadesboro. Other News Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 23.—The Republican Congressional Convention of the fourth district here this afternoon adopted resolutions endorsing the administration and policies of President Roosevelt, declaring for Taft as the Republican candidate for President, also declaring the outlook for Republican victory never so bright and instructing for Spencer B. Adams for State Chairman and E. C. Duncan, for re-appointment as National Committeeman.

Willis G. Briggs, of Raleigh, and J. C. Stancill, of Johnston county, were named as delegates to the National Convention, J. C. Matthews, of Nash, and P. H. Hatch, of Franklin, alternates.

For congressional District Executive Committee, the following were appointed: Chatham, W. C. Pearson; Franklin, J. F. Mitchell; Johnston, B. B. Pierce; Nash, J. C. Matthews; Vance P. B. Smith; Wake, Claudius Dockery; member at large, J. C. Stancill, Johnston.

There was a contest from Nash in which a delegation of negroes, the only ones appearing in the convention, sought seats in opposition to the regular county convention delegation.

The nomination of a candidate for Congress is left until after the National convention. Ex-Congressman J. W. Atwater, of Chatham, took part in the convention and pledged his best efforts.

A charter was issued today for the Henderson Game and Fish Association, capital subscribed $500, by W. S. Parker, Geo. A. Rose and H. T. Powell for maintaining hunting and fishing preserves.

Three brothers, middle aged men named Stone, arrived this morning from England and reported to the State Depatment of Agriculture as immigrants desirous of locating in this State as share-farmers. The Commissioner will undertake to suitably locate the three.

While the matter is not definitely settled yet Rev. J. C. Massee has given very strong assurances to his congregation at Tabernacle Baptist Church here, that he will not accept the call to the pastorate of the Baptist church in Chattanooga.

Alleging that her daughter was unmercifully whipped by Neta Rogers, a colored public school teacher of high standing, Mary E. Telfair has had the teacher arrested and her trial is set for next Thursday before a justice of the peace here. A great number of witnesses, especially for the defense, have been summoned and the trial promises to be a big affair among the negroes. The school board has taken no action yet. Sentiment seems to be with the teacher.

At a session of the Executive Committee of the North Carolina Agricultural Society, steps were taken to have the State Fair grounds adequately supplied with water, connection to be made with the city hydrants. The action of the State fair officers in joining the Virginia-Carolina circuit of fairs that includes big fairs in Virgina and the two carolinas was approved, including the offering of stake prizes in connection with the race events. The erection of a new machinery hall 50x200 feet and the equipment of suitable offices for the president and the secretary of the fair in the grounds were ordered.

An application is in for the formation of a military company of the State Guard at Wadesboro, this to fill the vacancy caused by the disbandment of the Maxton Guards at Maxton. The Pee Dee Guards is to be the name of the new company and the officers are Captain, W. O. Bennett, Jr.; First Lieutenant Adam Lockhart.

THE FIREMEN'S BENEFIT.

Performances This Afternoon and Evening at the Bijou.

All roads will lead to the Bijou this afternoon and evening—at least that will be the mecca of all friends of the firemen in Wilmington and their name is legion. The afternoon and evening performances will constitute a benefit for the jolly laddies of the central fire station, who are engaged in the laudable endeavor to provide themselves with a gymnasium at their headquarters.

Special high-class motion pictures have been ordered by Messrs. Howard & Wells for this production and Mr. Henry Angel has consented to go on for a vaudeville skit at the night performances. Seats may be had at the door and the Bijou, always popular, will never be more popular than for the performances today.

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THE RALEIGH ELECTION.

As our readers know, a special election was held Tuesday in the city and township of Raleigh on two propositions, involving increased taxation of the people. One was on an issue of bonds for public road improvement and the other for a special school tax. Both propositions were defeated, neither receiving a majority of the registered vote as is required in such elections to carry the proposition. In such elections a man who registers and then does not vote helps defeat the measure as much as if he voted against it. This the voters in the Raleigh election knew and, therefore, it is presumable that a large majority of those registered voters who stayed away from the polls on election day were as much opposed to the propositions as those who voted against them.

The school proposition, of which we wish to speak, was for the levy of an additional ad valorem tax of fifteen cents on the hundred dollars worth of property. The vote as given in the News and Observer, shows how the citizens looked upon this proposition. The registered voters numbered 1,854, making 928 votes necessary to carry the election. Only 820 votes were cast for it and 544 against it, showing 490 registered voters who did not vote, making 1,034 opposed to the measure, as against 820 favoring it.

The result of this election is a serious one for Raleigh. The News and Observer says it was a "blow to the prestige and pride of the city." It is more than that; it is a material drawback to the cause of education in that city, for it will cause the shortening of the terms of her public schools by several months because of lack of funds to keep them up. The people have refused to burden themselves with the additional tax necessary to do so.

It cannot be denied that this unfortunate state of affairs is the result of cutting off the public school revenues of the city by the closing of the dispensary, from which the school fund received about twenty thousand dollars a year. Before the dispensary was established this fund got a large sum from liquor licenses issued to the saloon men. When the saloons were closed, a few years ago, and the dispensary established, the city continued to derive from it a good revenue for the schools. When the dispensary closed and Raleigh became "dry" all this revenue was cut off and the people were told that their children must suffer in their school advantages or they must put an additional tax on themselves.

In this connection it must be borne in mind that the board of aldermen of that city, at a recent session, raised the tax rate for general purposes by 25 cents on the hundred dollars in order to make up for decreased city revenues.

The News and Observer says editorially on the shortening of the school term:

"A year from now Raleigh will be glad to vote to the schools a liberal amount of money necessary to maintain them for nine months in the year upon the standard that they deserve to be permitted to maintain. This city is not to be satisfied with a six months school. We trust that it may not mean that, although in this moment it is difficult to see how it may mean anything else. But the hurt will be for one year at the most; and after that the conditions that made the hurt possible this time will be permitted to exist in Raleigh no more forever."

There is a lesson to be learned here which the people of Wilmington should well consider. Should the revenue of our splendid schools derived from saloon taxes be cut off by the election in May they will find themselves confronted with the same proposition those of Raleigh were up against. It would mean shortening of the school terms, or in other ways lessening the school effectiveness or else higher taxation. These are matters for them to consider when making up their minds how they will vote in the May election.

THE APPALACHIAN PARK.

It seems that the decision of the House Judiciary Committee on the constitutionality of the Appalachian park bill does not necessarily put an end to the scheme, as was at first supposed. The act would be constitutional if for the purpose of improving the navigability of the rivers having their sources in that section of the country. The bill, as drafted, does not declare that to be the purpose, but it would be an easy matter to so change the terms of the act as to make it declare that the object of the proposed legislation. The friends of the proposition can secure a plenty of evidence that such would be the result of preserving the forests in those sections, and the only way their destruction can be prevented is for the government to purchase the lands and stop the wholesale cutting of the timber.

There is a whole heap of truth in the following article on the newspaper man and the chronic kicker. Every newspaper man has characters of the kind to contend with and they are the bane of his life. The article which is from the Chapel Hill News, says:

"Did you ever think of it? Suppose every business man in the town took as much interest in the upbuilding of the town as the newspaper man. He works for railroads, churches, schools, good streets, enforcement of the laws, and a hundred other things for the general good; he urges, scolds, badgers and cavorts around generally, until he gets what he sets out for. Imagine his feeling, then, when some lame string halt kind of a fellow reproaches him because he doesn't boom things enough and nine times out of ten that same fellow has never spent one cent towards the support of the paper and the paper he reads with marked regularity is either borrowed from the next door neighbor or picked from a counter in the store at which he trades."

The Charlotte Observer cites the following set of resolutions, adopted by the republican convention at Bluefield, as an instance of a coming out flat-footed on one side or the other of a public question:

"Whereas, There has been agitation of the question of prohibiting cows being kept within the city, which is regarded as an injury and detriment to many of our worthy citizens, now, therefore, be it

"Resolved, first, That we affirm allegiance to the party in city, State and nation, contributing thereon magnificent contributions of the past and our fidelity to its present policies and achievements."

Everybody knows now how the men who voted for that resolution stand on the local cow question.

There can be no doubt about Congressman Hobson being a candidate for the presidential nomination in 1912 as his political manager has made formal announcement of the fact. Mr. Hobson has always been a mighty lucky fellow. He has generally succeeded in getting what he wanted but we think he is looking too high when he puts his eye on the presidency.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—The public at large who scarcely approve of the senate's action in reporting a naval appropriation bill which carries $7,579,031 more than the bill favored by the house. Speeches, agitations and movements, in official circles of late, have caused the average citizen to study the ways of imperialism, and when the average citizen must put up for the colossal appropriations ordered by Congress, he is not likely to enthuse over the proposition of making ours the greatest navy of the seven seas.—Charlotte News.

—The President's demand that "equal accommodations" be furnished the races on all passenger trains may not work out every time exactly as expected. For instance, on one Southern railroad the company furnished soap and towels in the lavatories of the white but not of the black passengers. Complaint was made about this and the soap and towels were withdrawn from the white passengers. Thus the "accommodations" in this respect were made "equal" and what are you going to do about it?—Charlotte Observer.

—A recently published report of the criminal statistics for an English year indicates that there has been a notable relative decrease in crime during the last half century. The year 1906 saw practically the same number of thefts and crimes of violence as was recorded for 1857. Between the two dates the population of the country has grown from 19,000,000 to 34,000,000. Making comparisons, it appears that crime has decreased about 40 per cent. It is a pity that so much cannot be said for this country, where there is a frightful increase of some forms of crime.—Chicago Tribune.

—Mr. Bryan's previous defeats are a handicap to some extent, and the Democratic opposition to him seems to be most pronounced in those States whose electoral votes seem from the present outlook to be essential to Democratic success. His own view of the prospects is cheerful and he is a better politician and does not take so much for granted as he did twelve years ago. We believe he would poll more of the popular vote than any Democrat who has been named, but it does not follow that this will produce the requisite electoral strength in the East and Middle West. The result depends more largely on the question, whether the profound discontent permeating the Republican ranks will fructify into actual division? For there are not the signs of actual defection in the Democratic party which foretold the defeats of 1896, 1900 and 1904.—Virginian-Pilot.

—It is a reminder rather than a warning which the President gives to Congress and to the nation in his message asking for the construction of four new first class battleships. His reference to recent events and current conditions in China and other countries is not to be regarded as alarmist or as containing some cryptic hints at portentious menaces to our and the world's peace which are known only to the inner circles of diplomacy. There is no doubt that he and his advisers do know much—as they should—concerning our foreign relations and the relations of other lands which is not and should not be known by the general public; and for that reason, if for no other, his recommendations should have much weight without the why and wherefore of them being always asked. Something must be conceded to supreme authority and responsibility. But enough is known to all intelligent men throughout the world to give adequate explanation and vindication to his words.—New York Tribune.

TWINKLINGS.

—Her—Do you consider card playing sinful? Him—Certainly not. Why, there isn't a black heart in the deck.—Chicago News.

—Passemus—Do widow's weeds ever bloom? Pardonicus—Certainly; they produce orange blossoms.—Chicago Record-Herald.

—"Work never hurts anybody," said the industrious man. "No," answered Plodding Pete, "But it's most as bad to be scared as hurt."—Washington Star.

—Grace—So sorry you have at last made up your mind to marry Jack? Lola—Yes, I'm tired of having him hang around the house every evening.—Chicago Daily News.

—Second Camper—Where do you think I'd better pitch my tent? First Camper (tangled, mosquito bitten and tripping over a stake)—Right over the cliff.—Harper's Weekly.

—"Does money really make you happier in any way?" "Yes. Since I have become rich nobody ever attempts to offer me any good advice."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

—"After all, it's the wise man who can change his opinion." "But the wisest men simply can't do it." "Why not?" "Because they've been dead for years.'—Standard and Times.

—The Lady (to hastily-retreating burglar)—Pardon me but won't you wait till my husband sees you? I told him there was some one in the house and he said "Rubbish."—Harper's Bazaar.

—First Editor—We haven't printed anything about Carnegie for several days. Second Editor—Is it necessary? First Editor—Not absolutely so. But what's the use of needlessly offending him?—Life.

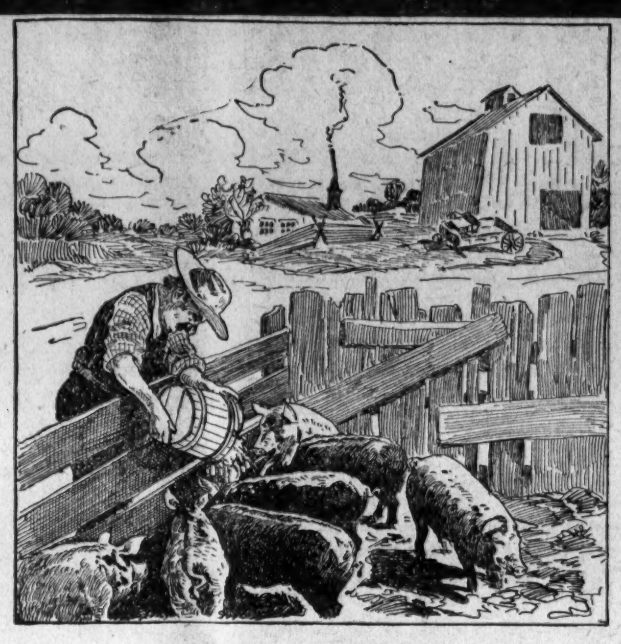
—"What! going to the masquerade this evening?" "No—Saturday night. I'm getting my dog used to the costume so that he will know me when I come home Sunday morning."—Fliegende Blaetter.

—Ascum—How on earth did you ever get a messenger boy to deliver your note and bring back the answer quick? I took his dime novel away from him and held it as security.—Philadelphia Press.

—"Shakespeare wrote for all time." "For instance?" "Take his expression: 'Tis not so deep as a well, nor so wide as a barn door, yet 'twill serve.' How well that describes a 1908 spring hat!"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

—Probably So—"I wonder why Damon and Pythias were such great friends?" queried the young lady who writes type between meals. "They were like a couple of girl chums, I guess," rejoined the bachelor with the ingrowing hair. "Got so thick they couldn't see through each other."—Chicago News.

"Your druggist has it or will order it—Buckhorn." tf



The Swine and the Flower

Oh me! I saw a huge and loathsome sty,
Wherein a drove of wallowing swine were barred,
Whose banquet shocked the nostril and the eye;
Then spoke a voice, "Behold the source of LARD!"

I fled, and saw a field that seemed at first
One glistening mass of roses pure and white,
With dewy buds 'mid dark green foliage nursed;
And as I lingered o'er the lovely sight,
The summer breeze that cooled that Southern scene,
Whispered, "Behold the source of COTTOLENE!"

Nature's Gift from the Sunny South

COTTOLENE is a pure and wholesome frying and shortening medium, made from refined cottonseed oil. There is not an ounce of hog fat in it to make food unwholesome, greasy and indigestible.

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THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY, CHICAGO

MERRY WIDOW SAILORS

IN ALL THE NEW SHADES

New Belts, 10 cents.

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See our $1.25 and $2.00 Oxfords for Ladies.

Ladies Long Gloves, 50c to 75c

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Bonzi Silk, all colors 50c per yard.

New Belting on display this week.

Children's Tan Hose, 25c value, per pair 19c.

Coossett, $4.00

Abbott, $3.50

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Tan and Vici,
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In all the New Toes.

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there is no beverage that can approach the Pale Export beer brewed by Darley Park Brewing Co. It is always pure and of uniform quality—of the highest excellence. It has that luscious flavor, combined with a body and strength, that is the delight of all connoisseurs.

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PROHIBITION ELECTION NOTICE

Pursuant to the general election laws of North Carolina and pursuant to "An act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors in North Carolina," ratified on the 31st day of January, 1908, notice is hereby given to the voters of New Hanover County that an election will be held under said act at the various precincts of said County on Tuesday the 26th day of May, 1908.

And the voters of New Hanover County further take notice: (a) that the first, second and third precincts of the First Ward have been consolidated and the said First Ward now constitutes only one voting precinct with the polling place at the Hose Reel House No. 1, 602 North Fourth street; (b) that the first and second precincts of the Fifth Ward have been consolidated into one precinct and the said Fifth Ward now constitutes only one voting precinct with polling place at the Engine House at the corner of Sixth and Castle streets.

The Registrars, Judges of Election, and the Polling places of the respective precincts are now as follows:

First Ward—Fred T. Skipper, Registrar; B. C. Moore and John G. Kuhlken, Poll holders; Polling place. Hose Reel House No. 1, 602 North Fourth street.

Second Ward—W. J. Kirkham, Registrar; Otto Banck and Geo. E. Leftwitch, Poll Holders; Polling place Old Court House.

Third Ward—A. G. Hankins, Registrar; Marsden Bellamy, Jr., and L. B. Sasser, Poll Holders; Polling place Giblen Lodge.

Fourth Ward—E. D. Sloan, Registrar; C. W. Worth and J. W. H. Fuchs, Poll Holders; Polling place Consumers Ice House.

Fifth Ward—J. H. Sykes, Registrar; D. J. Furgus and Woodus Kellum Poll Holders; Polling place Engine House Sixth and Castle.

Cape Fear—John W. Winders, Registrar; Geo. Trask and Sam'l Blossom Poll Holders; Polling place Blossom's Store.

Seventh Mile Post—John A. Everitt, Registrar; Robt. Cannaday and C. H. Alexander, Poll Holders; Polling place, Township House.

Delgado—W. C. Creech, Registrar; Dick Weaver and David Harrell, Poll Holders; Polling place Delgado Barber Shop.

Federal Point—Henry Taylor, Registrar; John Biddle and Robt. Lewis, Poll Holders; Polling place Capps' Store.

Masonboro—W. H. Biddle, Registrar; Horton Freeman and J. P. Montgomery, Poll Holders, Polling place, Township House.

Registration Books will be opened at 9 o'clock A. M. Friday, April 24th and closed at sunset Saturday, May 16th, 1908.

Registration Books will be open at the Polling places from 9 o'clock A. M to sunset on Saturdays, April 25th, May 2nd, May 9th, and May 16th.

Registration Books will be open for challenges on Saturday, May 23rd from 9 o'clock A. M. to 3 P. M.

Voters may register wherever they can find the Registrar on any day except Sunday between 9 o'clock A. M. and sunset from April 24th to May 16th inclusive.

This April 2nd 1908.

J. O. CARR, Chairman.
Wm. STRUTHERS, Jr., Secretary.
Wm GILCHRIST,
Board of Elections of New Hanover County.

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Belle of Virginia Rye deserves its name, and the name is certainly one of distinction and old-time aristocracy. It's a whiskey we are proud of on account of its purity and high quality and its hosts of admiring friends who will drink nothing else. Belle of Virginia is a blend—a scientific, uniform blend of pure, old goods. It's a whiskey with a flavor, and a fine, invigorating after-effect long to be remembered by those who drink it. Try it and you will make no mistake.

Sold at the places where gentlemen go to get a drink.

J. & E. MAHONEY
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WE ARE CONTINUING OUR SALE OF BRIGHT. NEW, FRESH GOODS AT COST FOR CASH ONLY.

We Submit a Few Prices:

Solid Oak Dressers, Bevel Mirrors, $5.75.
Large Oak Dressers, 24x30, Bevel Mirrors, $9.35.
Genuine Mahogany, Birds Eye Maple and Curley Birch Dressers, solid ends, full swell front and French Mirrors, $16.50; Chiffonieres to match $15.50. Nice Iron Beds, $3.90.
Heavy hard seat Dining Chairs, $1.75.
Heavy Oak Rockers, $1.75.
9-Piece Decorated Toilet Sets, $2.00.
$30.00 Ostermoore Mattresses, $18.50.
Three Nice Folding Beds, $19.50 to $30.00.
Six Feet Oak Extension Tables, $4.50.
Genuine Leather Couches, $25.00 to $35.00.
A large line of Fancy Rockers, Chiffoniers, China Cabinets, in fact $10,000 worth of Seasonable Goods at ACTUAL COST.
This is no sale of old shopworn, unsalable stock, but our Annual Sale, every piece having been put in since our last year's sale.
See Our Windows for a Few Pieces and Prices.

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THIS season we're strong on the new models in sack suits. If you want to see some of the most swagger styles ever made in men's clothes just come in here some day and ask to see one of our Hart Schaffner & Marx Varsity models; there are half a dozen or more styles in the Varsity line; some one of them will be sure to suit you.

Business suits, $18, $20, $25.

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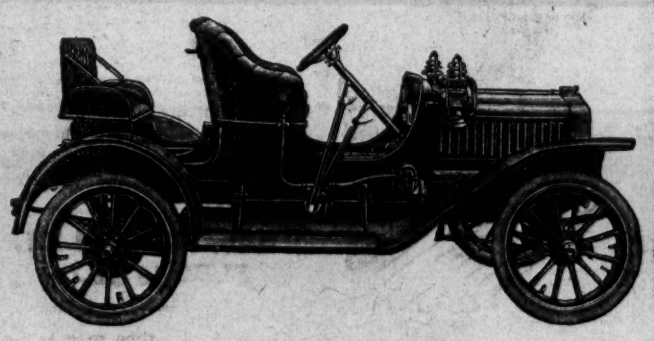

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BASE BALL

National League.

Boston, April 23.—Boston batted Moren from the box in four innings today and Brown, who succeeded him was unable to check the hitting streak, the home team shutting Philadelphia out 9 to 0. The hcore:

Boston	0	2	0	4	1	0	2	0	0	9	11	1
Phila.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	5

Batteries: Young and Bowerman; Moren, Brown and Dooin. Time 1:33. Umpire Mr. Klem.

New York, April 23.—Brooklyn had little trouble winning from New York here today, having the game well in hand at all stages after the fifth inning. The score:

Br'klyn	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	4	8	2
N York	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	6

Batteries: Wilhelm and Bergen; Ames, Taylor and Bresnahan. Time 1:45. Umpires Emslie and Rudderham.

Pittsburg, April 23.—A home run by Wilson in the seventh inning of the second game of the series with St. Louis gave St. Louis a victory again today. The score:

Pitts.	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	x	1	6	2
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	2

Batteries: Leifield and Phelps; Lush and Hostetter: Time 1:45. Umpire Rigler.

Chicago, April 23.—Ewing pitched a grand game after the second inning today but Cincinnati could not overcome the local's lead of one run.

Chicago	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	x	2	6	2
Cin.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	7	0

Batteries: Overall and Kling; Ewing and Schlei. Time 1:25. Umpire O'Day.

American League.

Philadelphia, April 23.—The local American leaguers knocked Newton out of the box today but Manning held the Philadelphias to two hits for eight innings and New York won by 5 to 3.

N. York	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	1	0	0	5	10	1
Phila	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	5	3

Batteries: Newton, Manning and Kleinow; Dygert, Carter and Schrack. Time 2:05. Umpires Hurst and Sheridan.

Detroit, April 23.—Detroit got to Howell for a triple, double and single, with two out in the second inning and decided the result right there. Killian pitched a fine game. The score

Detroit	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	x	5	11	4
St. Louis	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	10	2

Batteries: Killian and Schmidt; Howell and Spencer. Time 1:35. Umpire Evans.

Washington, April 23.—Washington scored its first victory today, defeating Boston 6 to 4. Boston used three pitchers. The score:

Wash.	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	3	x	6	12	3
Boston	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	4	9	2

Batteries: Barnes, Hughes and Warner; Burchell, Cicotte, Pruitt and Criger. Time 2:05. Umpire Connolly.

Cleveland, April 23.—Cleveland shut out Chicago today, Latimore being a puzzle to Chicago while White was hit hard by Cleveland. The score:

Cleve.	0	2	0	0	0	2	1	0	x	5	14	1
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	1

Batteries: Latimore and Clark; White and Altrock and Shaw. Time 1:35.

South Atlantic League.

At Macon, 0; Charleston, 2.
At Augusta, 4; Jacksonville, 1.
At Savannah, 0; Columbia, 0. (11 innings).

Southern League.

At Birmington, 12; Atlanta, 3.
At Little Rock, 7; Mobile, 0.
At Nashville, 4; Montgomery, 2.
At Memphis, 4; New Orleans, 6.

Virginia League.

At Roanoke, 5; Lynchburg, 4.
At Norfolk, 5; Portsmouth, 1.
At Richmond, 7; Danville, 5.

College Baseball.

At Charlottesville: Virginia, 7; Pennsylvania, 5.
At Davidson, 1; Wake Forest, 0.

A. & M. Defeats St. John's.

Raleigh, N. C., April 23.—A. & M. defeated St. John's here this afternoon in a game characterized by costly errors, score 5 to 4. Harris for the A. & M. struck out 14 men against 5 for Willis, of St. John's. Abernathy, the first up for the Farmers, lined out a three-bagger, followed by another by Thomas, the fourth ball that passed over the plate. Farmer for the A. & M. made a sensational catch on first base. Willis relieved Bosley in the box for St. John's after the first inning. The score:

St John's	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	4	3	9
A. & M.	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	5	5	3

Batteries: Bosley, Willis and Briscoe; Harris and Thompson.

"Consult your doctor about it—Buckhorn." tf

Administrator's Notice

I have this day qualified as administratrix upon the estate of Benjamin F. Murphy, late of the county of New Hanover deceased, and hereby request all persons indebted to his estate to make immediate payments and all persons having claims against his estate to present them to me duly authenticated on or before the 1st day of April, 1909, or I shall plead this notice in bar of their recovery.

This the 26th day of March, 1908.
VIRGINIA W. MURPHY,
Administratrix of Benj. F. Murphy.
Bellamy & Bellamy,
Attorneys.

Administrator's Notice.

I have this day qualified before the clerk of the superior court of New Hanover county as administrator of Jacob Elsbach, deceased, and hereby request all who may be indebted to his estate to make immediate payment, and all who may have claims against his estate to present the same to me, duly verified, on or before the 5th day of April, 1909, or I shall plead this notice in bar of their recovery.

This 2nd day of April, 1908.
JOS. N. JACOBI, Adm'r.
of Jacob Elsbach, dec'd.
Bellamy & Bellamy, Atty's.
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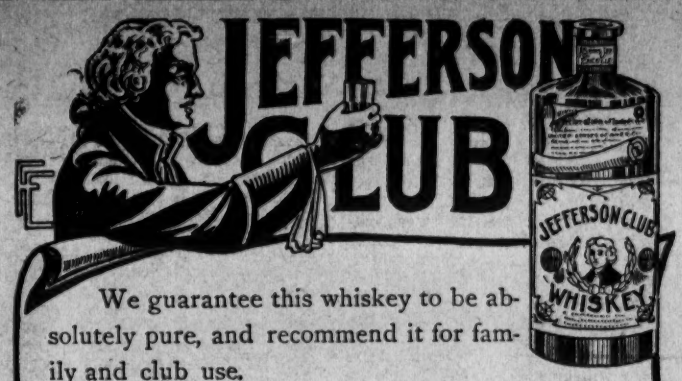

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The grain is carefully selected, and every care is taken to place before the public an article of superior quality.

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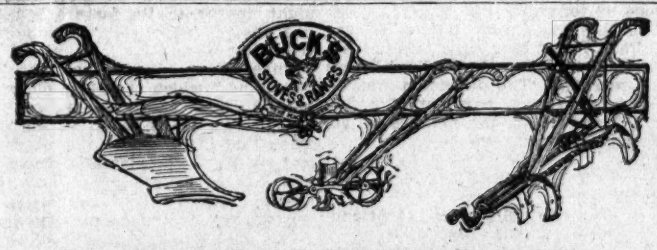

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Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company,
Office of the Treasurer,
Wilmington, N. C., April 18th, 1908.

The Board of Directors of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has declared two per cent. interest on the Certificates of Indebtedness of that Company, payable at the office of the Treasurer, at Wilmington, N. C., on and after May 1st, 1908. The transfer books are closed from the 13th day of April, 1908, to the 1st day of May, 1908, both dates inclusive.

JAMES F. POST,
apr 22-to may-1. Treasurer.

RECEIVER'S SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover County, the undersigned Receiver will sell to the highest bidder, at public auction, in the town of Whiteville, North Carolina, on the 1st day of May, 1908, at twelve o'clock M., one saw mill complete, consisting of boilers, engines, belting, gear, fixtures, attachments and all other things and property of every kind and description used in operating said saw mill including dry kilns, piping, electric lighting plant, anl all buildings, sheds and shops located on certain land at Wananish, N. C., leased by Henry Powell and wife to S. P. Taylor and conveyed by S. P. Taylor to W. T. Sears and S. M. Lloyd, and registered in Book A. I, page 497 of the records of Columbus County. Also one 15 ton locomotive, 8 new logging carts, 2 old logging carts, 7 1-2 miles of 25 pound section new steel rails, with all tools, supplies, spikes, cross-ties and all vehicles, wagons, machinery, tools and implements used in operating and carrying on the saw mill business at Wananish in said County of Columbus. Also all timber and trees, rights and privileges set forth in a certain deed executed by S. P. Taylor to W. T. Sears and S. M. Lloyd registered in Book B. I, page 223 of the records of Columbus County, containing timber on ten separate tracts of land, some of which has been cut over. Also the lease hold interest of W. T. Sears & Co., in the tract of land on which the said mill is located, containing about five acres. Said sale to be for cash and subject to the confirmation of the Court. At the same time and place will be sold 2040 logs more or less cut and lying in the woods in the vicinity of said mill and 591 logs at the mill.

This 30th day of March, 1908.
JOHN D. BELLAMY,
Receiver of W. T. Sears & Co.
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The Morning Star.

Friday, April 24th, 1908.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., April 24, 1908.

Meterological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Thursday, April 23d: 22nd:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 65 degrees; 8 P. M. 64 degrees; maximum 67 degrees; minimum 63 degrees; mean 65 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .92; rainfall for the month, 1.70.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville Thursday at 8 A. M. 6.6 feet.

For North Carolina—Fair Friday; warmer in east portion; Saturday showers, fresh to brisk east to southeast winds.

Port Calendar—April 24.

Sun Rises.....5:15 A. M.
Sun Sets..... 6:41 P. M.
Day's Length .....13 hrs. 15 min.
High water at Southport 2:46 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 5:16 P. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. W. L. Wells, of Watha, N. C., was in the city yesterday, making business calls.

—Mr. W. J. McGirt, of Whiteville, N. C., was in the city yesterday on a business trip.

—Alderman R. H. Northrop has returned from a delightful business and pleasnre trip through Florida.

—Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., went down to Fort Caswell yesterday where he conducted religiuos services for the men of the army post there last night.

—Mr. John H. Jones, of Hanan & Son, the well known shoe manufacturers, is in the city calling upon the Wilmington agents, Solomon's Shoe Store.

—Mr. Laurence Sprunt, who has been spending the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Sprunt, returned to Princeton University yesterday.

—Misses Florence Kidder, Helen Strange, Sue Prince and Mary Ella Moore left yesterday for Chapel Hill where they will attend the Easter dances at the University.

—Rev. R. W. Hogue, rector of St. James' Episcopal parish, has been away for a week's rest at Lake Waccamaw, having arranged to have his duties performed by Rev. Dr. Nicholls, of New York, who is a guest of Mrs. Elizabeth VanB. Sands. Mr. Hogue was called home yesterday on account of the death in his parish, but expects to return later to complete a much needed rest.

COLORED A. & M. COLLEGE

Commencement Exercises at Greensboro, N. C.—Annual Address.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., April 17.—The Agricultural & Mechanical College for the Colored Race will close its most largely attended session with the following programme:

Sunday, May 17th, Baccalaureate Sermon by Dr. W. A. Fountain, pastor of St. Stephen's Church, Wilmington, N. C. Monday, May 18th, annual address for Y. M. C. A. by Dr. J. A. Savage, president of Albion Academy, Franklinton, N. C. Tuesday, May 19th, annual address to the Agricultural and Mechanical Societies by Professor Charles Stewart, of Baltimore, Md. Wednesday, May 20th, Industrial Programme drama by Mrs. J. B. Dudley, subject, "How Shall I Go Up to My Father?" Thursday, May 21st, Commencement address by Hon. J. C. Pritchard, of Asheville, N. C.

The graduating class will probably be the largest in the history of the college. The faculty and students are anxious to have a large attendance of their friends during commencement week.

ONLY 52 CARS YESTERDAY

Cool Weather is Checking Strawberry Shipments—The Prices.

The cool weather and rain is still having the effect of retarding the gathering and marketing of the strawberry crop from the trucking belt. Yesterday only 52 cars passed through the junction office at South Rocky Mount and these were distributed to the several markets as follows: New York; 22; Philadelphia, 12; Boston and Buffalo, three each; Providence and Utica, two each; Newark, Worcester, Springfield, Pittsburg, Albany, Syracuse, Brooklyn and Montreal, one each. More than half of the day's consignments went to the two markets of Philadelphia and New York.

New York on Wednesday quoted berries at 11 to 20 cents; Philadelphia 10 to 14; Boston, 10 to 14 and Pittsburg, 12 to 14.

Funeral of Mrs. Pinner.

After funeral services from the family residence over the remains of the late Mrs. W. G. Pinner yesterday morning at 7:30 o'clock by the Rev. Fred D. Hale, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist Church, they were taken on the steamer Wilmington to the former home of the family at Southport, N. C., and interred in the family lot in the cemetery there. The services were impressive and a large number of handsome floral designs were laid on the casket by friends. The funeral services were concluded at Southport by Dr. Hale and the Rev. G. D. Langston, pastor of the Southport M. E. Church. The pall-bearers from the residence to the boat were Messrs. C. H. Dollar, D. C. Marshall, E. S. Piver, Lem King, W. G. Bordeaux and A. S. Holden.

Police Court Yesterday.

In the police court yesterday Loubelle Davis, colored, arrested by Officer B. W. Jacobs for being drunk and disorderly, was given 30 days on the farm. Thos. Cumming, colored, arrested by Officer J. T. Smith for being drunk and down, was fined $5 and costs.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Baseball results may be found on the third page of today's paper.

—The Clyde Liner Carib, Capt. Devereaux, arrived up yesterday afternoon from her Georgetown trip and will sail tomorrow for New York.

—The racing matinee of the Wilmington Driving Association was postponed yesterday afternoon on account of the rain, which came down in torrents all day.

—The Star is requested to state that there will be no meeting of the Art Department of Sorosis this afternoon as announced. Notice of the meeting will be given later.

—The fishing continues good off the Banks Channel Trestle and some good catches have been reported this week. The new platforms recently placed on the trestle for the benefit of fishermen are quite a convenience to the disciples of Isaak Walton.

—All voters who do not pay their poll tax by May 1st for the past year are reminded that unless they do so they will be disqualified for voting not only in the forthcoming prohibition election, but also in the Democratic primary to be held earlier and the regular State and National election in November.

—Architect H. E. Bonitz, of this city, has been commissioned to prepare plans for a handsome three-story forty-room, brick hotel for Mr. E. A. Lackey and associates at Hamlet, N. C. He is now at work on the plans and these will be submitted very soon after which bids will be called for the construction work.

—Walter McGuire, a colored youth, yesterday fell in the street in front of the store of the Holmes Grocery Company. When Officer Leon George went to his assistance he said that he could not walk a step from rheumatism. He was sent to the hospital, but upon arriving there, he ran like a deer and was later captured at 11th and Market streets by Officer C. G. Jones and locked up for vagrancy. He will probably be sent to the farm as he is physically unfit for work on the roads.

AGAIN IN LIMBO.

Col. P. W. Young Meets an "Old Friend" in Judge Moore.

Yesterday's Charlotte Observer contains the following that will be read with interest in this city:

"On a capias issued by Judge Fred Moore, Paul Young, the man tried some days ago before Recorder Smith on the charge of vagrancy and bound over to Superior Court, was sent to jail in default of $300 bond and subsequently released on the giving of a reduced bond of $100, was re-arrested yesterday afternoon by Officers Cliff Bell and W. W. Irvine. He was in front of the Selwyn Hotel when they came upon him and he was taken in charge.

"Young failed to appear in Superior Court Tuesday afternoon when his name was called, forfeiting thereby the bond of $100. Judge Moore at the time remarked that he and the missing defendant had met before and he supposed the latter was not anxious for a renewal of the acquaintanceship. Young was surprised at the arrest, evidently believing the matter was dropped. The case will come up today."

Charlotte, N. C., April 23.—The case of Paul Young was called in the Superior Court before Judge Fred Moore this morning. The defendant was allowed to go upon payment of a fine of $50 and under the promise of his leaving the county at once.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Very Gratifying Statistics of Attendance in City Districts.

As a number of papers in the State have been publishing the monthly record of their city schools, it is with pleasure that the Star presents some figures relative to the several institutions in Wilmington. For punctuality and percentage of attendance the showing for April is most excellent. In the first column is given the average daily attendance; in the second, the percentage of attendance, and in the third column the number of tardies, as follows:

Union	806	91	21
Hemenway	654	94	5
High School	157	97	5

The showing as to attendance and punctuality, it is believed, is second to none in North Carolina and one upon which both the pupils and patrons of the schools are to be congratulated.

As previously announced the commencement exercises this year will take place in the Academy of Music on the 15th of May and the annual address will be by Dr. Edwin Anderson Alderman, of the University of Virginia.

GRAND HIGH PRIEST COMING

Official Visit to Concord Chapter No. 1, R. A. M., Monday Night.

Deputy Grand High Priest J. C. Braswell, of the Grand Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, of the State of North Carolina, will be in the city Monday and will pay an official visit to Concord Chapter No. 1, of Wilmington, on Monday night. The Royal Arch degree, will be conferred. All Royal Arch Masons and all members of the Chapter in and out of the city are invited to be present. The meeting will be a notable one for the higher branch of Masonry in the city and it is being looked forward to with much pleasure.

DAVIDSON-WAKE FOREST

Neither Side Able to Score After Ten Innings of Fast Game.

Charlotte, N. C., April 23.—Neither Davidson nor Wake Forest was able to score in today's game at Davidson, though ten innings were played. Earlier reports gave Davidson the game one to nothing, but this seems to have been in error. It is reported to have been one of the fastest games ever played on the college grounds.

Athens, Ga., April 23.—The University of Georgia defeated Sewanee here today in a score of 4 to 2.

"It is the most powerful kidney water—Buckhorn." tf

BULLARD IS NOMINATED.

Mayor of Fayetteville—Dead at His Post—Cape Fear Project.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Fayetteville, N. C., April 23.—In the second Democratic primary here today to vote on the tie between V. C. Bullard and T. J. Powers for Mayor, Mr. Bullard received 379 votes and Mr. Powers 355, a majority of 24 for Mr. Bullard, over the present incumbent. This is practically the election of Bullard, as Fayetteville's next Mayor. He will make a good one and the result of the primary is pleasing to the majority of all property owners.

Mr. Henry Ursery, flagman at the A. C. L. railway crossing on Hay street, was found sitting dead at his post this morning at about 7:30 o'clock. No inquest was held. Physicians pronounced heart disease as the cause of his death. Mr. Ursery was a god citizen and well thought of in this community. His age was about 70 years. He was a Confederate veteran.

Maj. E. J. Hale telegraphed his paper from Charlotte this afternoon as follows:

"The North Carolina Press Association today unanimously adopted resolutions, offered by Editor Josephus Daniels, of the Raleigh News and Observer, pledging its heartiest support to the promotion of the immediate completion of the project for eight feet of water from Wilmington to Fayetteville as the evident solution of the problem of discriminatory freight rates."

PRETTY PYTHIAN AFFAIR.

Delightful Social Session by Four Wilmington Lodges Last Night.

Upon the completion of the institution of Delgado Lodge No. 195 by State Deputy Grand Chancellor J. D. Nutt and other Wilmington Pythians last night in Castle Hall, on the third floor of the Murchison National Bank building, the joint entertainment committee from the four lodges in the city provided a most interesting and enjoyable social session that was attended by upwards of a hundred Pythians of the city and visiting brethren.

The rank of Knight was first conferred upon ten of the fifteen candidates for membership in the new lodge and after the transaction of other business, the Pythians were invited to be at ease while a dainty spread of refreshments was served and other interesting exercises were held. Informal addresses were made by Chancellor Commander Bailey, of Richard Caswell Lodge, of Southport; Past Grand Chancellor John Haar, of Germania Lodge, this city; State Deputy Nutt and others.

The affair was a most pleasing one in every respect and was a cordial welcome into the fraternity for the members of the "baby" lodge. The committee in charge of the entertainment was composed of Messrs. J. D. Kelly (chairman), F. W. Bonitz, Esq., (secretary), Paul B. Bell and E. W. Huggins. They deserve the commendation of their respective lodges for the very elegant manner in which everything passed off.

"THE HIDDEN HAND" TONIGHT

King Stock Company Will Present it. "Katzenjammer Kids" at Matinee.

The King Stock Company will tonight appear in its feature bill and one that is new to theatre-goers of this city; that is new to all of the younger class. It will be "The Hidden Hand," which the older playgoers will remember as a great success used by Miss Cora VanTassel in the days when that little actress was charming and popular. The play is a strong one and has heretofore proven the best drawing card in the King Company's repertoire. A line of clever specialties is promised in connection with the play.

Tomorrow afternoon at matinee, when the prices will be 10 and 20 cents, the company will present a rousing good version of "The Katzenjammer Kids" and, no doubt, the "kids" will crowd the theatre. As a special attraction some little girl will be given a Teddy bear and some boy a ball and bat.

The Tabernacle Revivals.

Large congregations are attending the series of revival services which are being continued this week by Pastor Erwin at the Tabernacle, Seventh and Orange streets. Mr. Erwin has impressed all with his gifts as a speaker and as an exponent of Bible truth. Last night the subject announced was "Essentials in Conversion." The public is cordially invited to attend any or all of these services which are held at 8 o'clock each evening.

City Baseball League.

All members of the teams in the City Baseball League are requested by President J. E. Willson to meet this evening at 8 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. Business of importance in view of the opening of the season will be discussed and it is important that the captains and managers especially be present.

DE SAGAN IN DESPERATION.

At the Delay of Arrival of Mme. Anna Gould at Naples.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Naples, April 23.—Declaring that he had been driven almost to desperation Prince Helie de Sagan tonight left the hotel at which he had been staying and took an apartment on the Coroso Vittorio Emanuele under the name of Louis Perigord. He expressed regret at the delay of the steamer Friedrich der Grosse, on which Mme Anna Gould is a passenger and which, although due to arrive today, will not arrive here until 7 o'clock tomorrow morning. Its arrival, he said, would mean "protection from being victimized by damned reporters of two hemispheres."

Keeping Open House.

Everybody is welcome when we feel good; and we feel that way only when our digestive organs are working properly. Dr. King's New Life Pills regulate the action of the stomach, liver and bowels so perfectly one can't help feeling good when he uses these pills. 25c at R. R. Bellamy's drug store.

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THE POPULAR DEPARTMENT STORE
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"The Acme of Perfection" in Working Clothes.
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Too much cannot be said of the quality, style and comfort of this famous shoe. It's only necessary for us to sell one pair to make you a Regular Crawford Wearer.

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GLOVES.
Black, white and colors. Long and short 25c to $2.00.

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Black, white and fancy. Vast assortment, 50c up to $4.98.

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Black, white and colors. Plain cotton, plain and ribbed Lisle and lace, 15c to 50c.

WHITE MADRAS
All the new weaves of the season. French Lawn and big variety of plain lawn.

MILLINERY
Largest, best selected and most valued stock and lowest prices in the city.

FIRE AT CAPE MAY

Several Cottages and Other Houses Burned—Loss $75,000.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

Cape May, N. J., April 23.—Fire which started in the Lankenau Villa, founded by the late John D. Lankenau, of Philadelphia and used by the German hospital of that city as a summer home, swept through a portion of the Cape May Point Beach front, several miles from here, today destroying eight buildings and entailing a loss of $75,000.

The fire started about 1 o'clock and, driven by a stiff breeze from the south, quickly spread to the cottage of the late Benjamin Godfrey and the Surf House, a hotel owned by Ammon Wright, both of which were destroyed. Sparks from the fire were driven half a mile by the wind to the Episcopal colored mission and the cottages of John C. F. Springer and Lucy Ottinger, of Philadelphia, which were burned out. St. Peters Episcopal church, the E. C. Stokes cottage and several others were damaged before the firemen from Cape May City and the government life saving crews succeeded in getting the fire under control.

Neighborhood Favorite.

Mrs. E. D. Charles, of Harbor, Maine speaking of Electric Bitters, says: "It is a neighborhood favorite here with us." It deserves to be a favorite everywhere. It gives quick relief in dyspepsia, liver complaint, kidney derangement, malnutrition, nervousness, weakness and general debility. Its action on the blood, as a thorough purifier makes it especially useful as a spring medicine. This grand alterative tonic is sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 50c.

—Mr. Jones—Good gracious, Mrs. Brown, why is your husband going through all those strange actions? Is he training for a prize fight? Mrs. Brown—Not at all; he's merely getting in form to beat the carpet.—Harper's Weekly.

—Pender Chronicle: "The Robbinson Marvell Lumber Co., is shipping quantities of lumber from here; they haul this lumber from their mill on Riso."

DIED.

BOATWRIGHT—At 9 P. M. Wednesday, April 22nd, MRS. JOHN L. BOATWRIGHT, in the 65th year of her age. Funeral from St. James' Episcopal Church Friday at 11 A. M.

MUNYON'S PAW-PAW

CURES DYSPEPSIA

Indigestion and all stomach ailments.
It makes you eat.
It digests all you do eat.
It makes good rich blood.
It makes you sleep.
It makes you strong.
It cures all forms of nervousness.
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—MmunyON.

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Men's Suits; this line is composed of the latest and nobbiest styles.

Browns in any style and size, prices ranging from $8.50 to $20.00.

Blue Serges—coats, pants, or full suits, plain or fancy, ranging in prices from $8.50 to $20.00.

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Boys' indestructible suits—these suits bear the manufacturer's guarantee. Let us fit your boy with a suit for $3.95.

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A large range of all patterns and styles to suit the hard time pocket, $1.50 to $5.00.

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Buy a pair of Buster Brown Blue Ribbon Shoes for your children, they look best and wear longer.

Wear Holeproof Socks and Stockings. You will have no darning to do, and only buy every six months.

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Spring Shirts

EVERY MAN that is a good dresser will enjoy looking over the new shirts this season. We're showing the best we could select from the output of

The Best Shirt Makers

Some of the styles are exclusively confined to us. Then, we have a large assortment of choice domestic and imported fabrics.

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Now is the time to get first choice and the best time of all to select your Spring and Summer shirts.

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SENSATIONAL FACTS

Brought Out in the Electric Boat Company Investigation—Mr. Lilley Called to Account for Charges Made Against Committee.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, April 23.—Interesting developments followed each other in close succession today in the hearing being conducted by the special committee of the House on the charges preferred by Representative George L. Lilley, of Connecticut, against the Electric Boat Company. They ranged from the participation of the Lake Torpedo Boat Company in the preparation of a resolution of inquiry introduced in the House by Mr. Lilley to matters of a personal nature in which criticism of the committee played a prominent part. Incidentally Representative Lilley was severely taken to task by members of the committee for allowing public criticisms of its actions over his signature to stand for a month without being contradicted.

Mr. Lilley and the committee locked horns over the question of the production of letters, which he claimed are confidential, and the question of whether they should be produced had not been decided when adjournment was taken until tomorrow.

The question of the authorship of the two anonymous letters that have played such an important part in the investigation was also gone into, and it is the belief of the committee that the identity of the writer will be established within the next 48 hours.

Mr. Olmsted read a clipping at today's session from the Hartford Courant, of March 30th, containing a letter signed by Mr. Lilley and addressed to George W. Goff of East Hampton, Conn. This letter, which was in reply to one received by Mr. Lilley from Mr. Goff, contained the following:

"The select committee to investigate have already demonstrated their intention to apply the whitewash brush wherever they can. Therefore it is safe to assume that very little will be brought out. They refused me the privilege of counsel to cross examine witnesses and do not allow me to ask questions except by submitting them in writing and even then they may throw out those which they deem improper, which means throwing out all important questions. I believe, however, that the press of the country is already fully convinced."

Mr. Lilley stated that that letter was written by his secretary, Mr. Webster, and that he had not seen it until it appeared in print. Mr. Webster, he said, had authority to sign his name to letters.

Mr. Webster was called to the stand and admitted he wrote the letter. He said that he had gathered his inference about the committee from newspaper clippings and from conversations he had with a man who attended some of the hearings. The letter was not suggested by Mr. Lilley, he said.

Mr. Lilley then resumed the stand and was asked if he had repudiated the letter. He replied that he had not.

"Do you repudiate it now?" asked Mr. Olmsted.

"I do not personally desire to make that charge," answered Mr. Lilley, "and I am perfectly willing to withdraw it."

"It is not a question of withdrawing the charge," said Mr. Howard. "We want to locate the responsibility for the suggestions in that letter."

"This letter casts a reflection upon the character of the House of Representatives and the officers of it which cannot go unnoticed" interposed Chairman Boutell. A month has elapsed since you had knowledge of its existence over your signature. During that time it would certainly have been possible for you to explain it on the floor of the House or to this committee, but no explanation was forthcoming."

Mr. Lilley said he did not know Mr. Goff, and when asked if other letters of similar character had been written and signed with his name, replied that there might have been others but he did not know how many.

"Will you let us have these letters?" asked Mr. Olmsted.

"I do not think it is within the scope of this committee to examine my private correspondence," replied Mr. Lilley.

The committee had in its possession a clipping from the Bridgeport, Conn., Standard of March 25th, saying that it was reported around the corridors of the capitol that Messrs. Boutell, Olmsted, Rothermal and Rodenberg had left Washington the day before for New London (Mr. Lilley to be there at the time) for the purpose of bringing political influence to bear on Mr. Lilley to stop the submarine investigation. Of the four persons mentioned, Mr. Boutell and Mr. Olmsted are members of the committee and Messrs. Rothermal and Rodenberg are members of the House. A telegram also was in possession of the committee dated March 24, sent to Mr. Lilley on a train returning from Connecticut, by his private secretary, stating that these four congressmen had bought tickets for New London on the 4 o'clock train.

Mr. Boutell said he would like to know the authority of Mr. Webster for this telegram. Mr. Olmsted had left on that day for Harrisburg and he had gone to Springfield, Ill., to attend the State convention. Mr. Webster replied that his information had been furnished him by two correspondents of Connecticut newspapers.

Mr. Webster also admitted that he had written a letter to State Senator Frank Edingorough at Bay City, Mich., asking for information as to any candidates that had run against Congressman Loud two years ago. Mr. Webster said he had signed the name of Smith to this letter.

Mr. Webster said Mr. Lilley did not care to write for the information desired, so he (Webster) originated the scheme of writing the letter. He never received a reply. Mr. Lilley, he said, was not informed of this occurrence until last Sunday night.

During the day a letter from Mr. Lilley to Secretary Metcalf in the interest of the Lake Company was read. In this communication Mr. Lilley referred to Congressman Roberts, of Massachusetts, saying: "Among the well meaning members of Congress the Lake People have more friends because they have never employed the methods of the Holland type. It is well known that the company Mr. Roberts appears to represent is doing more today in the employment of questionable methods to intimidate members of Congress and the naval committee than all other corporations in the United States."

WARM WIRELETS.

In the Democratic primary election in Petersburg, Va., yesterday, Mayor William M. Jones, was re-nominated by a majority of 126 over Dr. John M. Pleasants.

The directors of the Norfolk & Western Railway Company have declared a semi-annual dividend of 2 per cent. upon the common stock. This is a reduction of half of one per cent. of that of the last previous six months.

Lieutenant General Linevitch, aide de camp to Emperor Nicholas and commander of the first Manchurian army, died of pneumonia last night. He had been ill for a little over a week.

The Confederate Veterans' official eulogy of Bishop and former Confederate Brigadier General Ellyson Capers, who died at Columbia, S. C., Wednesday, was issued at New Orleans yesterday by General Stephen D. Lee.

William J. Bryan left New York yesterday for his home in Nebraska after having completed a lively round of conferences, lectures, speeches and dinners in that city. He was accompanied on his way West by Mrs. Bryan, their daughter, Mrs. Leavitt and Mrs. Leavitt's children.

Inspector Loett and the miners who volunteered for rescue work in Mine No. 1, of the Ellsworth collieries at Ellsworth, Washington, Pa., where an explosion occurred early yesterday have completed their search of the mine and report that only four men were killed.

As a result of a plea in abatement entered in the Superior Court at Dedham, Mass., the case of Dr. Walter R. Amesbury, who has been indicted for the alleged murder of his wife, formerly a teacher in Roanoke College, Salem, Va., at Hyde Park on December 25th last, will go over until the September term of the court.

With the exception of the arraigning in court of Charles Burts, a number of strike breakers and also a number of strikers, all of whom were charged with being implicated in the riots and disorder of two weeks ago There were no developments in the street car strike at Pensacola yesterday.

NAVY PRIZE FIGHT

Sailor Boys at Los Angeles Engage in Manly Sport.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

Los Angeles, Cal., April 23.—The last of the navy prize fights to be held here in connection with the stay of the American battleship fleet at the ports of Los Angeles were decided today at Chutes Park with Champion James J. Jeffries as referee. All of the sailors on shore leave were gathered about the open air ring and much money was wagered on the three contests which decided the featherweight, and light weight and heavy weight champions of the fleet. On the heavy weight event it is said that the crews of the New Jersey and the Missouri put up a total of $7,500 each on the result.

In addition to the 3,000 or more sailors there were several thousand civilians among them being a large number of women. The local reception committee gave cash prizes to the winners of the bouts.

Featherweight class: Frank Rafferty, battleship Alabama defeated Bud Fredericks, battleship Illinois, six rounds, retaining the championship.

Middleweight class: Dennis Tighe, Battleship Alabama, defeater Henry Trainer, battleship Vermont, six rounds, winning championship held by Trainer for seven years.

Heavy weight class: Phillip Schlosberg, battleship New Jersey, defeated Walter Altieri, battleship Missouri, six rounds, winning championship held by Altieri for two years.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

The Star will send without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messenger to your Place of Business or Residence for Advertisements for our Business Locals Department. 'Phone the Star office, No. 51.

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The A. D. T. Messengers will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Co., or for Notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charges for the telegrams, and but a small charge for notes. For this service call Western Union, 'Phone 2. But for Advertisements always call the Star office, 'Phone 51.

FOR SALE—Distributing and sign tacking business cheap. Owner must leave city at once. A good business for anyone who means business. Apply at once. J. H., care General Delivery. apr 24-1t*

DANCE AT LUMINA
Tomorrow Night.

FOUND—The walls of a house plastered 25 years ago with "Acme Plaster" to be in better condition than a house next door that was plastered six months ago with an imitation material. Let us tell you all about it. Carolina Portland Cement Co., Charleston, S. C. apr 24-1t

FOR RENT—Small furnished apartment for light housekeeping, centrally located. Address M. P., care Star. apr 24-2t*

FOR SALE—Fast steamer Lotta, 97 feet on keel, 105 feet over all, surface condenser, fore and aft compound engine, 13, 22 by 18. 125 pounds steam pressure. Draft 6 feet. Passengers allowed 100. Tonnage 141 gross, 97 net. For further particulars apply to Henry Schachte & Sons, Charleston, S. C. apr 24-26-2t

FOR SALE—On account of my not being able to get away from my business, I will sell my horse, buggy and saddle at bargain to a quick buyer. Morris Bretzfelder, 217 North Front street. apr 23 3t

VERY DESIRABLE COTTAGE on Wrightsville Beach for sale; price $3,000. W. M. Cumming, Real Estate Agent. apr 23 3t

SPECIAL TRAIN—On account of the dedication of the Catholic Church at St. Helena, Sunday, April 26th, a special train will leave Wilmington at 8 o'clock and return at 4 o'clock. Tickets for round trip, $1. May be secured from James Owen Reilly or Thos. B. Carroll. apr 23-3t

WANTED—Fifteen horses to board by first of month. Satisfaction guaranteed. F. T. Mills & Son. apr 23-tf

FOR SALE—40-foot sharpie with mast, sails, rigging and cabin top; everything in perfect condition; can be seen at the Seashore Hotel. Address J. H. Hinton, Wilmington, N. C. apr 22 3t

I HAVE FOR SALE—Several small houses and lots, paying 12 per cent. gross. Call early and take your choice. W. M. Cumming, Real Estate. apr 21-5t

SPECIAL BARGAIN—One good farm mule, cart and harness for sale cheap. Hall & Pearsall, Inc. apr 19-1w

"THERE IS A TIDE in the affairs of men" and we have it tied up in a nice package for you in the way of a splendid chance to own a nice home with modern conveniences—on the easiest kind of terms. Do not put off calling on us or phoning us about this Monday morning. One already gone like a hot cake. Smith & Lord, 114 Princess street. Phone 766. apr 19 tf

NOW LOOK HERE! When the hot weather comes and you long for the ocean breezes, do not blame us if you put off renting those cottages we have on Wrightsville Beach, and some wiser mortal got them. Smith & Lord, 114 Princess street. Phone 766. ap 19 tf

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FOR RENT—Some splendid offices in the Garrell Building and two cottages on Wrightsville Beach, that haven of the weary. Smith & Lord, 114 Princess street. apr 19 tf

FURNISHED ROOMS for rent; all furnishings new, clean and up-to-date; electric lights, bath and toilet. Mrs. R. C. Sumby, 320 Chesnut street. apr 16 tf

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, New Hanover County—Notice is hereby given to the public that application will be made to the Governor of North Carolina for the pardon of Louis Nixon, convicted at the May, 1902 term of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, for the crime of manslaughter, and sentenced to the penitentiary for a term of twenty years. (Signed) Mary F. Nixon, the mother of Louis Nixon. apr 15-2w

AT CANDYCAPPS—Ice cream parlors open for the season. Ice cream delivery in quarts, half gallon and any amount on short notice. Prices to meet the quality. Phone 343. Andrew Mavronichols, 123 Princess street mch 18 tf

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apr 22-tf.

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Two thousand mile books Inter-State and Interchangeable will be sold for $40.00, good for five or less people, members of a firm or corporation, only one person being allowed to use it at a time.

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STATEMENT

INDUSTRIAL LIFE AND HEALTH INSURANCE COMPANY OF ATLANTA, GA.

Condition December 31, 1907, as Shown by Statement Filed.

Amount of capital paid up in cash, None, Mutual, Assessment.		
Amount Ledger Assets December 31st previous year	$	25,348.16
Income—From Members, $461,331.75, Miscellaneous $22,647.56, Total		483,979.31
Disbursements — to Members, $162,579.15; Miscellaneous, $290,289.69; Total		452,868.84
Policies or certificates written during year—Number of policies, 89,068; Amount		361,701.00
Policies of certificates in force at end of year—Number of policies, 81,228; Amount.		1,714,679.00
ASSETS.		
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate	$	26,500.00
Value of Bonds and Stocks		15,500.00
Cash in Home Office		611.03
Cash deposited in Banks		3,347.60
Interest and Rents due and accrued		808.00
Premiums in process of Collection		208,900.00
Furniture		9,606.00
Books and Blanks		900.00
All other Assets detailed in Statement		10,500.00
Total	$	276,672.63
Less Assets, not admitted	$	220,214.00
Total admitted Assets	$	56,458.63
Balance on hand to protect contracts in addition to the right of assessment	$	56,458.63
BUSINESS IN NORTH CAROLINA IN 1907.		
Policies or Certificates in force December 31st of previous year, Number 17,423; Amount	$	418,152.00
Policies of Certificates issued during the year, Number 17,170, Amount		185,850.00
Policies or Certificates in force December 31, 1907; Number 18,369; Amount		485,749.00
Losses and Claims incurred during the year; Number 10,915; Amount		31,716.60
Losses and Claims paid during the year, Number 10,915; Amount		31,716.60
Premiums and Assessments collected during the year	$	97,495.95

President, J. N. McEachern; Secretary, I. M. Sheffield. Home Office 502-511 Anstell Building, Atlanta, Ga. Attorney for service, Insurance Commissioner, Raleigh, N. C. Business Manager for North Carolina, I. H. Paris, Raleigh, N. C.

State of North Carolina,
Insurance Department,
Raleigh, April 15, 1908.

I, James R. Young, Insurance Commissioner, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the Industrial Life and Health Insurance Company, of Atlanta, Ga., filed with this Department, showing the condition of said Company on the 31st day of December, 1907.

Witness my hand and official seal the day and date above written.

JAMES R. YOUNG,
apr 23-2t Insurance Commissioner.

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TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

After thanking you for the kindness shown me in the past, I take this method of announcing my self a candidate for re-election to the office of County Treasury. Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary called to be held on the 14th day of May, 1908. If nominated and elected, I will do in the future, as I have tried to do in the past, serve you faithfully.

Yours truly,
H. McL. GREEN.
apr 9 to may 14

To the Voters of New Hanover County:

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the House of Representatives, subject to the will of the Democratic Primary.

GEO. L. MORTON.
apr 14 til may 14

FOR CONSTABLE.

I take this opportunity of extending my thanks to those who have so generously supported me in the past and to announce that I will be a candidate for renomination to the office of constable of Wilmington township, subject to the will of the people to be expressed in the Democratic primary, May 14th, promising, if elected, to discharge faithfully the duties of the office. W. B. SAVAGE.
apr 10-eod-tf.

To the Democratic Voters of the Fourth Ward.

The following names are presented as delegates from the Fourth Ward to the County Convention, to be voted for at the primary election: W. H. Yopp, W. H. Bernard, Jno. D. Bellamy, Jr., H. C. McQueen, J. S. Williams, M. S. Willard, J. W. H. Fuchs, Thos. W. Davis, W. A. French, Geo. C. Jackson.

Member Executive Committee, Chas. W. Worth.
apr 12-till may 14.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS.

I beg to announce that I will stand for re-election as sheriff of New Hanover county subject to your will to be expressed at the polls, May 14th, 1908, and promise, if honored, to enforce all laws and collect all taxes to the best of my ability, and as my record for the past two years demonstrates.

Respectfully,
S. P. COWAN,
apr 9-till May 14.

NOTICE.

The following names are presented as delegates from the Third Ward to the County Convention, to be voted for at the primary election:

SAMUEL BEAR,
EDUARD AHRENS,
S. J. ELLIS,
J. A. TAYLOR,
W. E. PERDEW,
R. R. BELLAMY,
BEN SOLOMON,
C. O. BYERLY,
J. O. POWERS,
W. L. PARSLEY,
R. H. PICKETT,
apr 11 tf

NOMINATIONS.

The names of Mr. J. O. Carr and Woodus Kellum are presented to the public as fit men for the Legislature.

Mr. Carr for the Senate and Mr. Kellum for the House of Representatives.
apr 8 tf MANY CITIZENS.

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS.

I respectfully announce that I am a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds, subject to your will to be expressed at the polls May 14th, 1908, and if honored by you I will deeply appreciate the trust and will faithfully perform the duties of the office.
apr 11 tf HENRY HORNE.

To the Democratic Voters of New Hanover County.

With a high appreciation of the kindness shown me by my Democratic friends in last election by electing me to the office of Register of Deeds of this County, I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to that office, and ask your support at the approaching primary.

JOHN HAAR.
apr 7 to may 14.

To the Democratic Voters of the First Ward.

The following names are presented to you for the election as delegates to the county convention and county executive committeeman at the primary May, 14th, 1908: J. A. Karr, Page Anderson, J. F. Sellars, G. H. Heyer, B. C. Moore, W. L. West, Charles Beardsley. Executive Committee, Martin Rathjen.
apr 14 till may 14.

To the Democratic Voters.

I place myself before you for the election to the office of State Senator, representing jointly the counties of New Hanover and Brunswick, and ask your support, which I will deeply appreciate and I pledge myself if elected to serve you faithfully.

Yours,
apr 14 tf B. G. EMPIE.

To the Democratic Voters of the Second Ward.

The following names are presented as delegates from the Second Ward to the County Convention, to be voted for at the primary election: Wm. E. Springer, W. H. Brown, J. C. Stewart, E. Borden, Jos. D. Smith, W. C. Von Glahn, T. C. James, W. F. Corbett, T. E. Sprunt, D. H. Penton.

Member Executive Committee, Marcus W. Jacobi.
apr 14 till may 14.

To the Democratic Voters of the Fifth Ward.

The following names are presented as delegates from the Fifth Ward to the county convention, to be voted for at the primary election: M. G. Tienken, J. C. Walton, J. D. Brown, R. A. Burnett, Jordan Branch, G. W. Borneman, W. F. F. Newton, J. E. Taylor, John J. Bell.

Executive Committee, R. H. Brady.
apr 14 till may 14.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—High Point, April 22.—The $60,000 5 per cent., thirty-year bonds were today awarded by the board of aldermen of the city of High Point to Geo. T. Penny, secretary and treasurer of the Carolina Loan and Realty Company of this city. The price paid was $1.02.

—Pender Chronicle: We are requested to state that the Hon. John A. Shaw of Fayetteville, will deliver the prohibition address at Point Caswell on next Sunday at 12 M., and at Atkinson same night. Also there will be a prohibition speaking at Currie on next Saturday at 2 P. M.

—On account of the fact that the dates which have been selected for holding the annual convention of the North Carolina Bankers' Association conflict with the date for the Democratic State convention to be held here June 24th, the former will be held June 16th, 17th and 18th. These dates are chosen instead of June 24th, 25th and 26th. The sessions of the association will be held at the Atlantic Hotel, Morehead City.

—Charlotte Observer: The Park road, which has just been completed, is said to be one of the best macadams ever put down in the county. The gang has been on this thoroughfare for several months in charge of former Superintendent A. C. Welch and Superintendent W. M. McLaughlin who is now serving. The road runs from Latta Park to the residence of Mr. J. Watt Kirkpatrick in Sharon. The camp has been removed to the Lawyer's road.

—Pender Chronicle: Dr. J. T. Hoggard, who has been located at the Inter-State Lumber Company for some time, has decided to remove to Atkinson on May 1st. Dr. Hoggard will continue to practice at the Inter-State Lumber Company's camps and in that locality. He is going to Atkinson in order to reach that section and south of that thriving town. Dr. Hoggard, since he has been in Pender, has made a great many substantial friends and has a large deserving practice.

—Concord Tribune: While in conversation with a fellow passenger on the Southern Railway several days ago, the Tribune man was informed that the upper end of Mecklenburg county would give Colonel Horne a strong vote in the coming primaries of that county. He stated that if the convention had been held two weeks ago, the county would have gone almost solidly for Craig, but the Horne supporters are busy. The gentleman making this statement is a well known and prominent farmer of Mecklenburg.

—Fayetteville Observer: Sheriff Watson yesterday captured another moonshine outfit, making his twelfth he has rounded up since his induction into office. This one was found in Little River township in what is known as the Goins settlement, 26 miles from Fayetteville. It is a 36 gallon capacity, copper still, in fairly good condition. It was not running at the time, but showed every sign of recent use. There was nobody in the neighborhood of the distillery when the sheriff and his special deputies, Messrs. W. J. McCraney, Cam Smith and N. L. Henderson, discovered it.

—Kinston Free Press: This morning one of the colored workmen at the Kinston Lumber Company got into the cab of the yard engine and, just for a little amusement pulled the throttle, to "see what the blamed thing would do." He found out. The engine started down the yard at no mean gait and being unable to reverse his previous operations, the man jumped from the cab letting the engine pursue the even tenor of its way. Running at a pretty good clip the engine reached the end of the track and jumped the bumpers, jumped down the hill, landing with its pilot firmly planted in terra firma.

—Salisbury Post: Rev. C. M. Caldwell, for several years a resident of Salisbury, has been missing for a year and Mrs. Caldwell, who was Miss Mamie Owens before marriage, is endeavoring to locate him. A Washington dispatch says of the case: On the anniversary of the day her husband left her, a year ago, to go to the bedside of his dying father at Troutman, N. C., Mrs. Chas. M. Caldwell, of Washington is advertising in a half dozen cities in the hope of finding him. For a year Mrs. Caldwell has been unable to obtain a trace of her husband. After years of hard work during her married life, performed for the purpose of assisting her husband financially to prepare him for the ministry, Mrs. Caldwell now finds herself without help in caring and providing for her dying mother.

—Washington, D. C., April 22—News and Observer Special—The friends of the Appalachian Forest Reserve are happy tonight as to the result of the action of the House Judiciary Committee, which declared today that public lands can be acquired for conservation and improvement of the navigable streams. The committee, in the opinion of the advocates of the Appalachian and White Mountain reserves, has made possible legislation providing for the establishment of these two projects. It is true that the committee declared unconstitutional bill providing solely for forest reserves, but as Representative Webb pointed out today, that has never been the idea of the friends of the Appalachian measure. Senator Simmons is being groomed for chairman of the Democratic National Committee to succeed Tom Taggart, of Indiana. The friends of Senator Culberson, of Texas, are very much in favor of Senator Simmons for the job. They threw out the suggestion that the senior Tar Heel Senator be selected for the chairmanship only as late as yesterday, and the result has been that a number of Democratic Senators have come forward and expressed the opinion that Mr. Simmons is the man for the position.

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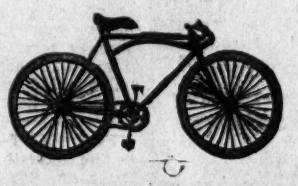

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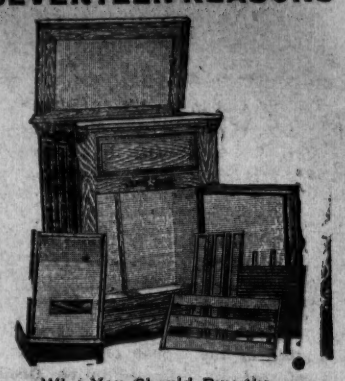

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COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, April 23.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market, steady, $2.95 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Market, firm at $1.60.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm $2.25 per barrel for hard, $3.25 for dip and $4.25 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin nothing doing; tar firm $2.30; crude turpentine $3.50, $5.00, $5.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	34
Rosin	295
Tar	29
Crude Turpentine	38

Receipts—Same day last year, 68 casks spihits turpentine; 169 barrels rosin; 5 barrels tar; 5 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year—Steady 10 3-8 cents for middling.

Receipts—140 bales, same day last year 45 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime 65c; extra prime 70c; fancy 75c per bushel of 28 lbs; Virginia—No. 1, 70c; fancy 75@80c; Spanish 75@85c.

CORN—Firm, 85c per bushed for white; 82 1-2@85 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams, new 13@14c; shoulders 10@11c; sides dull, 10@11c.

EGGS—Dull, 15@16c.

CHICKENS—Dull at 15@30c. for large springs; growns, firm, 35@40c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 24c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1-2 per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dry flint, 8 to 9c; green 4 to 5c per pound.

PORK—Firm at 5@6c per pound.

TURKEYS—Firm at 15c on foot; 18@20c. dressed.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 75@85c per bushel.

CHEESE—Firm, 60@70c per head.

COW PEAS — 01.90@$2.00 per bushel; white peas, $2.50 to $2.75 per bushel.

WOOL—Firm at 20@21c per pound.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

New York, April 23.—New low records were made in the cotton market today under continued liquidation with the close steady but at a net decline of 14 to 19 points. Sales were estimated at 200,000 bales.

The market opened easy at a decline of 10 to 15 points and after some little irregularity sold 13 to 17 points net lower, owing to weakness in the Liverpool market, a favorable weather map, liquidation by recent buyers and scattering pressure from bearish sources.

Around 8.35 for May and 8.52 for July there was considerable buying and the market steadied up during the middle session with active months showing a recovery of about 5 to 6 points. This was followed, however, by renewed weakness during the afternoon under liquidation of old long accounts and the market was very unsettled in the late trade with prices selling into new low ground for the day and at one time showing a net loss of 16 to 20 points. The close was within a point or two of the bottom.

Receipts at the ports today 10,076 bales against 11,512 last week and 7,988 last year. For the week 85,000 bales against 71,514 last week and 72,031 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 4,290 bales against 3,120 last year and at Houston 1,087 bales against 1,018 last year.

Spot closed quiet, 5 points decline, middling uplands 10.05; middling gulf 10.30; sales none.

Month	Open.	Close.
April	——	8.28
May	8.40	8.33
June	8.43	8.41
July	8.53	8.49
August	8.49	8.43
September	——	8.35
October	8.50	8.53
December	8.43	8.45
January	8.50	8.56
March	8.54	8.53

PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Galveston—Quiet, 10 1-16; Net receipts 1,763.

New Orleans—Quiet, 10 1-16; Net receipts 4,290.

Mobile—Dull, 9 7-8; Net receipts 636.

Savannah—Dull, 9 7-8; Net receipts 1,833.

Charleston—Nominal; Net receipts 92.

Wilmington—Nominal; Net receipts 140.

Norfolk—Dull, 10 1-4; Net receipts 1,041.

Baltimore—Nominal, 10.00.

New York—Quiet, 10.05.

Boston—Quiet, 10.10; Net receipts 55.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 10.30; Net receipts 26.

Total today, at all ports, Net 10,076; Great Britain 15,529; France 100; Continent 6,518; Japan 200; Stock 495,835.

Consolidated, at all ports, Net 49,474; Great Britain 38,493; France 100; Continent 27,863; Japan 500.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports, Net 7,664,321; Great Britain 2,642,779; France 769,252; Continent 2,933,758; Japan 184,716; Mexico 1,299.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Houston—Quiet, 9 7-8; Net receipts 1,087.

Augusta—Steady, 9 7-8; Net receipts 321.

Memphis—Quiet, 9 15-16; Net receipts 647.

St. Louis—Dull, 10 1-8; Net receipts 357.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 787.

Louisville—Firm, 10 3-8.

Little Rock—Nominal 9 1-2; Net receipts 52.

Total today—Net receipts 3,251; gross receipts 3,675; shipments 4,102; sales 2,852; stock 248,911.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, April 23.—Cotton: spot moderate business done; prices 10 points lower. American middling fair 5.94; good middling 5.58; middling 5.32; low middling 4.98; good ordinary 4.54; ordinary 4.14.

The sales of the day were 7,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 6,700 American. Receipts 9,000 bales, all American.

Futures opened easier and closed steady. American middling G O C: April 4.86 1-2; April and May 4.81; May and June 4.81 1-2; June and July 4.81; July and August 4.80; August and September 4.74 1-2; September and October 4.67 1-2; October and November 4.62 1-2; November and December 4.60; December and January 4.58 1-2; January and February 4.59.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, April 23.—The warmer weather today revived the hopes of the dry goods trade, more particularly that portion of it that has been waiting for a wider distrbution of summer merchandise. A lengthening of the discounts on wide duck has brought prices to the lowest level noted in a long time. The market for drills and sheetings is limited by the immediate needs of buyers. Domestics are quiet. Side bands in printed goods are having an active sale. Raw silk is firmer and some quotations of 5c per pound higher than early in the week. In men's wear trade continues quiet and values are much unsettled.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, April 23.—Prices of stocks underwent a comprehensive uplift today. The movement showed a certain soberness and restraint which were not without impressiveness, viewed in connection with the steadiness and persistence of the advance. The trading was not animated and the rise of prices was not of the buoyant kind seen in periods of speculative excitement. The stock most affected by the Pennsylvania bond incident was Union Pacific. The obvious explanation is that the Union Pacific banking affiliations are the same as those which have enlisted the powerful foreign aid which has assured the success of the Pennsylvania bond flotation. As authority has been asked already of Union Pacific stockholders to issue bonds on unmortgaged lines now owned the bearing of these facts on the position of the company is clear.

The reduction in the Norfolk & Western dividend also was ignored. Prices ended at the highest of the day and with some heavy buying in progress.

The bond market was diversified and firm in tone. Total sales par value $4,252,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales today 609,400 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

New York, April 23.—Money on call easy 1 3-4 to 2 per cent.; ruling rate 1 3-4; closing bid 1 3-4; offered at 2; time loans very quiet and steady; sixty days 2 1-2 per cent., and ninety days 2 3-4 to 3 per cent.; six months 3 1-2 to 3 3-4 per cent. Close: Prime mercantile paper 4 to 4 1-2 per cent. Sterling exchange easier with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8725 to 4.8730 for demand and at 4.8480 to 4.8485 for sixty day bills; commercial bills 4.84 1-2. Bar silver 54 3-8. Mexican dollars 47.

New York Bonds.

U. S. refunding 2s reg	103 3-8
U. S. refunding 2s cou	104
U. S. 3s reg	100 3-8
U. S. 3s cou	101 1-4
U. S. new 4s reg	119 1-2
U. S. new 4s cou	122 1-2
American Tobacco Co. 4s	71 5-8
American Tobacco Co. 6s	105 7-8
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	85 5-8
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	98 3-4
L. & N. Unified 4s	96 1-4
Seaboard Air Line	46
Southern Railway 5s	93
U. S. Steel 5s	97 1-8

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	58 7-8
American Car & Foundry	33 1-4
Amr. Car & Foundry pfd	93@94 1-2
American Cotton Oil Co	28
Amr. Cotton Oil Co. pfd	82@93
American Locomotive	——
American Smelting & Ref	——
Amr. Smelting & Ref pfd	——
American Sugar Refining	126 3-8
Amr. Tobacco pfd cert	90 1-2
Atchison	——
Atchison pfd	——
Atlantic Coast Line	75
Baltimore & Ohio	84 1-2
Baltimore & Ohia pfd	82
Chesapeake & Ohio	32 3-4
Erie	18 3-4
Erie 1st pfd	34 1-2
Erie 2nd pfd	23
Kansas City Southern	23 3-8
Kansas City Southern pfd	53 3-4
L. & N.	100 1-2
New York Central	99 1-4
Norfolk & Western	65
Norfolk & Western pfd	75
Pennsylvania	118 1-2
People's Gas	90
Reading	80 1-2
Reading 2nd pfd	——
Rock Island Co.	15 3-8
Rock Island Co. pfd	28 5-8
Standard Oil	585
Southern Pacific	75 3-8
Southern Pacific pfd	114
Southern Railway	14 5-8
Southern Railway pfd	39 3-4
Tenn., Coal & Iron	——
U. S. Steel	36
U. S. Steel pfd	97 3-4
Va.-Car. Chemical	20 3-4
Va.-Car. Chemical pfd	91
Seaboard Air Line	——
Seaboard Air Line pfd	——
Western Union	51

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, April 23.—Flour—Firm. Rye Flour—Firm.

Corn Meal—Firm.

Rye—Strong; No. 2 western 88 to 90.

Wheat—Spot strong; No. 2 red 1.06 elevator. Options opened 1-2 higher, closed strong at best prices or 1 3-4 to 2 1-2 net higher. May 1.06; July 97 7-8; September 93 3-8.

Corn—Firm; No. 2, 75 1-2 elevator. Options firm at net advance of 1-4 to 3-8c May 75 1-2; July 72 1-8.

Oats—Steady; mixed 54 1-2.

Lard—Firm; western 8.20 to 8.30. Refined firm; Continent 8.90.

Pork—Firm.

TALLOW—Steady.

Rice—Steady.

Molasses—Quiet.

Sugar—Raw, firm; fair refining 3.98; centrifugal 96 test 4.48; molasses sugar 3.73; refined steady.

Coffee—Futures steady; net unchanged to 5 points lower. Spot quiet; Rio No. 7, 6; Santos No. 4, 8 3-8; mild quiet; Cordova 9 3-4 to 12 3-4.

Butter—Easier; creamery specials 29 to 29 1-2; do extras 28 1-2.

Cheese—Quiet, unchanged.

Eggs—Steady; nearby selected white fancy 18 1-2 to 19; good to choice 17 1-2 to 18; brown and mixed extras 17 1-2; first to extra first 16 1-2 to 17.

Peanuts—Steady.

Freights—Unchanged.

Potatoes—Easy, unchanged.

Cabbages—Weak; Danish seed per ton 6.00 to 9.00; red per barrel 50 to 75c.

Cotton Seed Oil—Dull and barely steady. Prime crude 34 1-2; prime summer yellow 43; off summer yellow 41 1-4 to 43; good off summer yellow 41 1-4 to 43; prime white and prime winter yellow 44 to 46.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, April 23.—Wheat prices on the local exchange today advanced 1 7-8 to 2 1-4c as a result of bullish statistical situation. At the close July option showed a net gain of 2 1-4c. Corn was up 3-8 to 1-2c. Oats were 3-8 higher and provisions 15 to 30c higher.

	Open.	Close.
Wheat—		
May	97 1-2	98 5-8
July	88	89 3-4
September	84 5-8	86 1-4
Corn—		
May	66 7-8	67 3-8
July	62 5-8	63 1-8
September	61 1-4	61 5-8
Oats—		
May, old	53 1-2	53 3-4
May, new	52	52 1-2
July, old	45 1-2	45 3-4
July, new	43 1-2	43 5-8
September	37	37 3-8
Mess Pork, per bbl.		
May	12.72 1-2	13.05
July	13.12 1-2	13.40
September	13.50	13.72 1-2
Lard, per 100 lbs.		
May	7.92 1-2	8.10
July	8.12 1-2	8.30
September	8.32 1-2	8.50
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.		
May	6.72 1-2	6.92 1-2
July	7.02 1-2	7.20
September	7.30	7.45

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, firm. No. 3 spring wheat 96 to 1.05; No. 2 red 96 3-4 to 98 5-8. No. 2 corn 67 3-8; No. 2 yellow 67 3-8; No. 2 oats 53 1-4; No. 3 white 49 to 52 3-4. No. 2 rye 79 to 80. Fair to choice malting 74 to 84. Prime Timothy seed 4.25. Short Ribs, sides (loose) 6.62 1-2 to 6.70. Mess Pork, per bbl. 13.05 to 13.10. Lard, per 100 lbs. 8.07 1-2. Short Clear sides (boxed) 7.25 to 7.50. Whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.35.

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, April 23.—Rosin steady at $3.65 to $3.70. Turpentine easy at 48 1-2c.

Charleston, April 23.—Turpentine and rosin nothing doing.

Savannah, April 23—Turpentine firm 44; sales 1,362; receipts 1,215; shipments 328. Rosin firm; sales 2,972; receipts 3,091; shipments 359; stock 58,566. Quote: A B C, 3.15 to 3.25; D, 3.25 to 3.35; E, 3.35 to 3.50; F, 3.40 to 3.55; G, 3.45 to 3.65; H, 3.80 to 3.85; I, 4.35 to 4.50; K, 5.25 to 5.35; M, 5.55; N, 5.75; W G, 5.80; W W, 5.80 to 5.90.

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Str. City of Fayetteville, Smith, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

Str. Carib, Devereaux, Georgetown, S. C., H. G. Smallbones.

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Str. City of Fayetteville, Smith, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., April 23, 1908.

C. C. Railroad—9 bales cotton; 7 barrels tar.

W. & W. Railroad—14 bales cotton; 5 casks spirits turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—48 bales cotton; 1 cask spirits turpentine; 92 barrels rosin; 6 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—68 bales cotton; 16 casks spirits turpentine; 110 barrels rosin; 11 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Alice—4 casks spirits turpentine; 35 barrels rosin; 10 barrels tar; 12 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. City of Fayetteville—1 bale cotton; 12 barrels tar; 9 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. J. C. Allen—8 casks spirits turpentine; 58 barrels rosin.

Total—140 bales cotton; 34 casks spirits turpentine; 295 barrels rosin; 29 barrels tar; 38 barrels crude turpentine.

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No. 40 arrives 12:50 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No 38 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, and all points North and South.

Trains Leave Wilmington as Follows

	No. 45	No. 39
Lv. Wilm't'n	4:50 A. M.	3:00 P. M.
Ar. Lumb't'n	7:26 A. M.	5:55 P. M.
Ar. Maxton	8:15 A. M.	6:49 P. M.
Ar. Hamlet	9:15 A. M.	7:50 P. M.
Lv. Hamlet	9:45 A. M.	8:25 P. M.
Ar. Monroe	11:40 A. M.	10:25 P. M.
Ar. Ch'lotte	12:35 P. M.	11:30 P. M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No 66 for Raleigh and Richmond and points north. At Monroe with No. 51 for Atlanta.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No 41 for Atlanta, Birmingham and Charlotte, with No. 34 for Washington and New York, No. 32 for Portsmouth Norfolk and No. 42 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

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Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect April 19, 1908.

NOTICE.

The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	48.	No. 42.
Lv Wilmington	8:40 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:03 pm	9:55 pm
Ar Rocky Mount	1:35 pm	11:40 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	3:30 am
Ar Norfolk	6:05 pm	
Ar Wilson	1:00 m	10:52 pm
Ar. Petersburg	7:05 pm	5:27 am
Ar Richmond	8:00 pm	6:10 am
Ar Washington	11:50 pm	9:50 am
Ar Baltimore	1:41 am	11:20 am
Ar Philadelphia	4:21 am	1:41 pm
Ar New York	7:23 am	4:13 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 43.
Lv New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar Philadelphia	11:37 am	12:15 am
Ar Baltimore	2:12 pm	2:51 am
Ar Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv Norfolk		8:25 am
Lv Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar Petersburg	8:05 pm	9:13 am
Ar Weldon	9:59 pm	11:28 am
Ar Rocky Mount	11:03 pm	12:55 pm
Ar Wilson	11:47 pm	1:58 pm
Ar Goldsboro	6:15 am	3:00 pm
Ar Wilmington	9:30 am	6:10 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	5:15 am	3:35 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Flor.	9:05 am	7:30 pm	4:30 am
Ar. Col'bia	12:25 pm	11:10 pm	
Ar. Ch'st'n	1:10 pm	11:15 pm	7:30 am
Ar. Sa'n.	6:50 pm	3:10 am	9:54 am
Ar. J'k'ville		8:15 am	2:20 pm
Ar. Tampa		7:15 pm	11:00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:20 am
Lv Jacksonville	9:10 am	7:45 pm
Ar Savannah	1:31 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston	6:57 pm	5:20 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:34 pm	8:55 am
Ar Wilmington	12:55 am	1:20 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound. Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:20 am	Ar 8:15 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	11:45 pm	Ar 4:55 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv. 3:40 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEW BERN.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

	Northbound.	Southbound.
Lv. Wilmington	3:20 pm	1:00 pm
Ar. Newbern	7:00 pm	Lv. 9:25 am

Trains No. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with Pennsylvania R. R., for all points east.

Trains No. 55 and 56 carry Pullman Sleeper between Wilmington and Columbia.

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W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager.

TO THE BEACH

Suburban Schedule

(In effect Saturday, April 11, 1908.)

Daily except Sunday.

LEAVE.

Wilmington	Wrightsville	Wrightsville Beach
East Bound	Westbound	Westbound
...	6:25 A. M.	6:15 A. M.
7:00 A. M.	7:55 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
7:30 A. M.	8:25 A. M.	8:15 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	9:25 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	10:55 A. M.	10:45 A. M.
11:30 A. M.	12:25 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
1:00 P. M.	1:55 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
2:30 P. M.	3:25 P. M.	3:15 P. M.
3:00 P. M.	3:55 P. M.	3:45 P. M.
3:30 P. M.	4:25 P. M.	4:15 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	4:55 P. M.	4:45 P. M.
4:30 P. M.	5:25 P. M.	5:15 P. M.
5:00 P. M.	5:55 P. M.	5:45 P. M.
5:30 P. M.	6:25 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
6:15 P. M.	7:25 P. M.	7:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	7:55 P. M.	7:45 P. M.
8:00 P. M.	8:55 P. M.	8:45 P. M.
9:30 P. M.	10:25 P. M.	10:15 P. M.
11:00 P. M.	11:30 P. M.	

Sunday Schedule.

LEAVE.

Wilmington	Wrightsville	Wrightsville Beach
East Bound	Westbound	Westbound
9:00 A. M.	9:55 A. M.	9:45 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	10:55 A. M.	10:45 A. M.
11:30 A. M.	12:25 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
1:00 P. M.	1:55 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
2:30 P. M.	3:25 P. M.	3:15 P. M.
3:00 P. M.	3:55 P. M.	3:45 P. M.
3:30 P. M.	4:25 P. M.	4:15 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	4:55 P. M.	4:45 P. M.
4:30 P. M.	5:25 P. M.	5:15 P. M.
5:00 P. M.	5:55 P. M.	5:45 P. M.
5:30 P. M.	6:25 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
6:15 P. M.	7:25 P. M.	7:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	7:55 P. M.	7:45 P. M.
8:00 P. M.	8:55 P. M.	8:45 P. M.
9:30 P. M.	10:25 P. M.	10:15 P. M.
11:00 P. M.	11:30 P. M.	

Freight Schedule.

Leave Wilmington 4:00 P. M. (Daily except Sunday).

Freight received at 9th and Orange streets from 3:00 to 4:00 P. M.

Carolina Place Schedule.

(Daily except Sunday).

Cars will be operated between Front and Princess streets and Seventeenth and Market every 20 minutes. Leaving Front and Princess from 6:50 A. M. until 9:50 P. M.

Leaving 17th and Market from 7:00 A. M. until 10:00 P. M. All suburban cars will make regular stops at Delgado.

Carolina Place Schedule.

(Sundays.)

Leave Front and Princess streets every 20 minutes from 8:30 A. M. until 9:50 P. M.

Leave Seventeenth and Market streets every 20 minutes from 8:40 A. M. until 10:00 P. M.

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THE UNIT RULE IS ADOPTED

By The Illinois Democrats For Voting at The National Convention.

MR. BRYAN IS ENDORSED

But Resolution is not Strong Enough to Suit His Most Ardent Supporters — The Anti-Prohibition Plank of the Platform.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

Springfield, Ills., April 23.—The Illinois democracy today adopted the unit rule and instructed its delegates to the national convention at Denver to vote for William J. Bryan and to "use all honorable means" to secure his nomination.

After a hot fight in the resolutions committee, which was carried into the convention, the party adopted a platform plank declaring in favor of the "greatest possible personal liberty" to individuals, provided such liberty did not infringe upon the rights of other people.

Instead of naming the usual four delegates and alternates at large to the national convention, it was decided to send eight, allowing each man half of a vote. Two presidential electors at large were also chosen.

The resolution endorsing Mr. Bryan was adopted with enthusiasm and a flattering demonstration followed the action. For all that, however, it was not worded entirely to the satisfaction of Mr. Bryan's zealous supporters, and in the last few minutes of the convention Judge Owen P. Thompson, of Jacksonville, declaring that Bryan had been "sold out" demanded that a stronger resolution be passed. He desired to have the instructions so worded that Illinois would be bound to support Bryan as long as his name was before the convention. His effort met with the usual fate of new business that is sprung upon hot, weary, hungry, and thirsty delegates who are anxious to catch trains for their homes. It was swiftly and overwhelmingly defeated.

The convention, however, showed sincere enthusiasm for Bryan. When his name was mentioned there was invariably great applause and the reading of the resolution in his favor was greeted with cheers. Roger C. Sullivan, national committeeman, dominated the convention from first to last.

The fight over the "personal liberty" or liquor plank in the platform was warm and long. It delayed the convention nearly two hours and then a minority of seven presented a report urging that the plank be entirely omitted. Nineteen members of the committee favored it, and the convention sustained them by a vote of 849 to 686. Of the total in favor of the plank, 535 votes came from Cook county. Three quarters of the contry delegates voted against it, but the heavy vote of Chicago was too much for them.

The Johnson men were not in evidence throughout the convention and no resolution bearing his name was introduced.

The platform indorses among other things the ship canal from the Lakes to the gulf and declares in favor of a state employers' liability law to supplement the federal law on that subject.

The "personal liberty" plank is as follows:

"We believe that orderly customs and habits long pursued should not be disturbed by intolerance, and we hereby declare in favor of that fundamental doctrine of democracy and free government which gives to the individual the largest measure of personal liberty, so long as he does not infringe on the personal rights of others. We are opposed to all sumptuary laws."

"The plank endorsing W. J. Bryan is as follows:

"Recognizing the broad statesmanship, matchless eloquence and untiring efforts of our great leader, the Hon. William Jennings Bryan, in the cause of humanity, we, the democrats of Illinois honoring a native son and taking pride in his distinguished leadership, instruct the delegates to the national convention of our party at Denver from this state to support his candidacy for the nomination for the presidency and to use all honorable means in his behalf. We further instruct the Illinois delegation to the Denver convention to act as a unit on all propositions."

SOUTH'S EDUCATION

The Promoters in Session—Address by Ambassador Bryce.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Memphis, Tenn., April 23—The presence of British Ambassador Bryce drew the largest crowd tonight of the present conference for the Education of the South. Introduced by President Ogden, Ambassador Bryce was given a hearty reception.

Hardly less cordial was the greeting of Bishop Bratton, of the Mississippi diocese, who spoke on "The Christian South and Negro Education." Bishop Bratton took the position that the negro must be looked after in his advancement with Christian care and tender sympathy. The bishop declared that the negro is capable of mental development; that a majority are children intellectually and little short of savages morally and that the relations between the races is after all kindly and affectionate.

The afternoon was given over to meetings of state delegates. A meeting of state superintendents occupied the attention of the conference this morning. Superintendent J. Y. Joyner, of North Carolina, presiding.

SWEPT BY A CYCLONE

Much Devastation by a Storm in Denver—Many Houses Wrecked and Several Persons Killed—Accompanied by Rain and Hail.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Bancroft, Nev., April 23.—A cyclone swept through Cummin county and into Thurston county at noon today and three people are known to have been killed, a number injured and a number of houses destroyed. Telegraph and telephone wires are down and reports are slow in arriving.

The tornado struck the house of John Mangleson, near Pender, Neb., and then swooped up into the air, taking with it the wreckage of the house and both Mr. and Mrs. Mangleson. Both were killed, their bodies being carried a mile.

George Waacker and family were at lunch when the twister struck their house. Three of the family were seriously injured.

The dead body of a little baby was picked up in the public road ten miles from Bancroft. The child has not been identified, but undoubtedly was brought by the clcylone which swept northeastwardly towards the Winnebago Indian reservation, where much damage is supposed to have been wrought, the houses being of the most flimsy character. The storm passed within a quarter of a mile of Pender and caused consternation in that town.

MR. CLEVELAND'S CONDITION

No Foundation for the Alarming Reports About His Sickness.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Lakewood, N. J., April 23.—The condition of former President Grover Cleveland, about whom alarming reports were circulated here today was said by Mrs. Cleveland to be improved tonight. Mr. Cleveland has been suffering from rheumatic gout and stomach trouble and is said to have been reduced in weight considerably in consequence. With Mrs. Cleveland and a trained nurse he came to Lakewood about March 16th, and since that time has occupied a suite of rooms at the Lakewood hotel, where it was said he was regaining his health and strength. Since his arrival he celebrated his 71st birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Cleveland, in response to an inquiry, sent out the following message:

"Mr. Cleveland is getting along nicely. There is no occasion for any alarm. I may issue a statement to The Associated Press tomorrow."

The hotel closed Tuesday but Mr. Cleveland did not leave with the other guests. This gave rise to a report that his condition was such that it was deemed imprudent for him to make the trip to Princeton. The report was given further credence by the fact that Mrs. Cleveland, who left here yesterday for Princeton, hurried back to Lakewood the same afternoon.

No one is admitted to the former president. The big hotel among the pines is locked and visitors are denied admittance.

"Mr. Cleveland is improving and will return to Princeton probably within a short time" said Mr. Berry, the hotel manager.

Mr. Cleveland has kept his room the greater part of his stay in Lakewood, although he has been out driving with Mrs. Cleveland occasionally.

PRESS ASSOCIATION

North Carolina Editors in Session at Charlotte Yesterday.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Charlotte, N. C., April 23—The North Carolina Press Association adjourned this afternoon, after which the visitors were taken for an automobile ride over the city and along the fine roads leading from the city. Tonight they were entertained at an elegant smoker. Officers for the ensuing year are: J. A. Thomas, Franklin Times, president; W. C. Dowd, Charlotte, first vice president; J. Z. Green, Marshville, second vice president; Rev. J. O. Atkinson, Christian Sun, Elon College, third vice president; John B. Sherrill, Concord, secretary and treasurer; J. F. Hurley, Concord, historian; John M. Julian, Salisbury, orator; R. M. Phillips, Newbern, poet. Executive Committee, H. B. Varner, Archibald Johnson, J. B. Sherrill, H. A. London, W. C. Dowd, Josephus Daniels and D. T. Edwards.

Upon motion of Mr. Daniels, the following resolution was adopted unanimously:

"Whereas, the Cape Fear river is the gateway to middle and western North Carolina, that the association pledge its efforts to promote the immediate completion of the great project to secure eight feet of water at all seasons of the year between Wilmington and Fayetteville, as the evident solution of discriminating freight rates against our State."

That over 700 barrels of whiskey were shipped from Dry Fork, Va., under fictitious names during the period of two years, when, it is alleged, that the Dry Fork Distilling Company defrauded the government of thousands of dollars in revenue tax, was the purport of testimony introduced in the Federal court at Danville yesterday by the government in the trial of T. M. Angle, president of the Dry Fork Company.

Suffering and Dollars Saved.

E. S. Loper, of Marilla, N. Y., says: "I am a carpenter and have had many severe cuts healed by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It has saved me suffering and dollars. It is by far the best healing salve I have ever found." Heals, burns, sores, ulcers, fever sores, eczema and piles. 25c at R. R. Bellamy, Druggist.

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THE NAVAL BILL IN THE SENATE

Many Amendments to Provisions For Building Warships Offered and Some Adopted.

FOR FOUR BATTLESHIPS

Amendment for This Number Pending. Efforts to Open Markets of World for Purchase of Material—For Forfeiture of Railway Laws.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, April 23.—Amendments to the naval appropriation bill were offered in the Senate today by Senator Gore, of Oklahoma, to allow the building of the new battleships, submarine boats, etc., authorized by the bill at any shipyard in the world and taking away the restriction in favor of domestic steel. Mr. Gore had no support in his first motion to permit the building of the ships abroad, and 62 votes were registered against him.

His second motion was to strike out the provision that all the parts of these ships and the steel material used in them shall be of domestic manufacture. On motion of Mr. Hale that amendment was laid on the table by a vote of 48 to 9, Mr. Gore securing the support of Senators Bacon, Culberson, Davis, Gary, McCreary, Milton, Money and Simmons, all Democrats.

Mr. Gore offered the amendments he said to "rescue this country from the toils of the steel trust," which he regarded as "the tape worm of the treasury." The steel trust, he said, not only held up the country, but it held up the American merchant marine.

Mr. Bacon also spoke in favor of eliminating the provisions requiring materials of domestic manufacture, as he said it would by law force the government to buy of the trust at extortionate prices. He remembered, he said, hearing the Senator from Maine, (Mr. Hale) on a former occasion say the steel trust "had the opportunity to put a knife into us." He said the armor plate could be made by only two or three concerns in the United States and when the time came to bid they would have a combination and the country would be at the mercy of the trust. Saying some one near him had said he was "unwilling to trust the enemy with making our weapons of defense," Mr. Gore declared that the experts of the government could be depended upon to see to the quality of material purchased. If his amendment, he said, had been adopted not a ton of steel would be purchased abroad. "What I want," declared Mr. Gore, "is to legislate so that we can get three instead of two battleships for the same money."

Mr. Money offered an amendment providing that material for the new ships shall be of domestic manufacture, but permitting it to be purchased abroad, explaining that it was well known that American goods were sold cheaper abroad than in this country.

Mr. Hale said that as worded, the bill would permit just what the Mississippi Senator contended for, and the amendment was withdrawn.

Mr. Beveridge insisted that he had reliable figures showing that the United States pays less for its steel plate for battleships than any other nation of the world except Japan.

Mr. Bacon offered an amendment providing that the President or Secretary of the Navy shall be authorized to purchase any part of the material abroad in any case where the material of domestic manufacture cannot, in his judgment, be purchased at a reasonable price, having regard to the cost of manufacture and a reasonable profit. The amendment was rejected by a vote of 24 to 35.

Replying to a question Mr. Hale said the United States was paying $416 per ton for its armor and that Germany paid $450; France $500, and England $625 per ton.

On motion of Mr. Hale the appropriation made by the House of one million dollars toward the construction of eight submarine torpedo boats was increased to $3,000,000 which may be applied toward the completion of submarine boats heretofore authorized.

An amendment was agreed to appropriating $7,000,000 toward the construction, the machinery, armor and armament of vessels authorized in this bill.

The pay of the enlisted men in the hospital corps of the navy is made the same as that of seamen of corresponding rating by a committee amendment which was adopted.

On a point of order made by Mr. Lodge the committee amendment giving naval staff officers rank on the same basis as that provided for the staff of the army and providing that command of vessels shall be exercised only by line officers was stricken from the bill as general legislation.

On a motion of Mr. Dick, of Ohio, the bill was amended so as to allow six months pay to the heirs of officers and men of the navy dying in the service.

"Irons as a form of punishment" are barred from the navy by a provision inserted in the bill by Mr. Nelson, of Minnesota.

When the bill had been nearly completed Senator Piles, of Washington, offered an amendment increasing the number of battleships from two to four, asking at the same time that the final consideration of the measure be postponed until tomorrow.

Mr. Hale believed the Senate had made up its mind about that matter but as two or three Senators desired to speak on the subject he preferred postponing consideration on the amendment until tomorrow.

Senator Rayner of Maryland spoke today on the constitutional rights of the States and executive encroachment. He insisted that the commerce act of the constitution had been interpreted as applying to the industrial life of the country to a far greater degree than was contemplated by the framers of the constitution. He regretted the tendency of Democrats to look upon the President as their guide and declared that the President could not be accepted as his "Messiah."

The Senate adjourned at 4:50 P. M.

House of Representatives.

By the overwhelming vote of 245 to 8 the House today, after several hours discussion adopted, without amendment the Senate joint resolution authorizing the Attorney General to file suits against the Oregon & California Railroad Company for the forfeiture of all or part of 2,800,000 acres of land grants in the western part of Oregon. It is claimed by the government that by reason of breaches and violations of the acts making the grants the railroad company has forfeited all rights to the land in question. The sentiment of the House was practically unanimous that the suits would work no hardship on bona fide purchasers of homesteads from the company. The resolution was introduced in the Senate by Senator Tillman and has passed that body.

At 5:12 P. M. the House took a recess until 11:30 A. M. tomorrow.

NEW RAILROAD BONDS.

The Chesapeake & Ohio Renews Its Bonds on Good Terms.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

New York, April 23.—It was officially announced, after a meeting of Chesapeake & Ohio railway directors today, that the company has sold $2,000,000 of 5 per cent. first mortgage bonds, due in 1939, that were reserved to take up a like amount of 6 per cent. bonds which will fall due July 1st. The new bonds, it was announced, were sold at a premium. The company has also sold $1,500,000 of 6 per cent. notes due July 1, 1910, to take up $1,200,000 of notes due July 28, 1908. The balance of the proceeds, $300,000, is to be held for the corporate purposes of the company.

THE CRUISER PRAIRIE.

Distributing Recruits to the Different Naval Stations.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

Newport, R. I., April 23.—The cruiser Prairie will sail from here on Sunday next, in charge of Commander A. A. Ackerman for Hampton Roads taking a draft of apprentice seamen, cooks, yeomen and petty officers from the naval training station. At Hampton Roads she will take on board a draft of men from the Norfolk navy yard and will proceed to Colon. Thence the two drafts will be sent overland to Panama, where they will board the cruiser Buffalo, which will convey them to the Atlantic fleet now in the Pacific waters. Some of the men will eventually go on duty with the Asiatic fleet.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as executor of Helen M. Todd, deceased, before the Clerk of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, all persons indebted to her estate are hereby required to make immediate payment and all persons having claims against said estate are notified to exhibit the same to the undersigned on or before the 24th of April, 1909 or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. This, 24th of April 1908.

MORRIS M. CALDWELL,
apr 24 1aw 6w fri Executor.

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Sealed Proposals

Will be received at the Mayor's office until noon, May 20th, for furnishing the City of Wilmington with labor and material as specified below for the year ending May 31st, 1909.

1st—Feeding and shoeing mules and horses for such number as the City may employ; also care of carts and harness.

2nd—For lighting the City with gas, oil and electricity.

3rd—For lumber per 1000 feet of merchantable quality and as required.

4th—For printing, stationery and advertising.

5th—For feeding prisoners per meal.

6th—For lighting and repairing gas and oil lamps of the City, and furnishing oil for the latter.

7th—For bricks, lime, ice, cement and terra cotta pipe.

8th—For crushed stone for street repairs, and granite curbing.

The right reserved to reject any and all bids.

WM. E. SPRINGER,
apr 24-fri-tue-td Mayor.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Tidewater Power Company will be held at No. 25 North Front street, on Tuesday, April 28th, 1908, at 11 o'clock A. M.

H. WOOLLCOTT,
apr 24-1t. Secretary.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

We, the undersigned, wish to inform the public that we are in no manner, shape or form connected with or interested in any chemical or soap cleaning process for rugs, carpets, etc. Our machine is the most modern vacuum or suction outfit obtainable and does dry cleaning only which is fully guaranteed by us. Over one hundred customers and not one complaint in ninety days should be sufficient testimony. Phone 870.

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